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The Defense Program

COMBAT ENGINEERING

A MINIMUM of "squads east" and and "tenshun" and a maximum of training in pioneering is the 13-week diet of embryo engineer soldiers at Ft. Belvoir, Va., a sample of which was shown to some 500 visitors 13 May in an all-day tour of the post and its replacement center.

Visiting members of the Society of American Military Engineers and interested spectators from the War Department and from the Engineer School at Ft. Belvoir were led on a tour of training activities which was climaxed by an assault on a concrete pillbox by a picked squad of Engineer troops.

Sound effects to give a strong note of realism to the attack were not lacking as the dozen men wormed their way up to the pillbox, blasted their way through barbed wire entanglements, and finally "vanquished" the "occupants" of the pillbox with improvised gasoline bombs and TNT charges. To the right and to the left machine guns chattered as the squad crawled forward. Light field pieces blasted the terrain about the objective. A picked trio, using a Bangalore torpedo,—an improvised bomb of TNT within a section of cast-iron pipe—tore a sizeable hole through the barbed wire, through which crept riflemen who in turn covered the approach of the demolition troops bearing their gasoline torches and bombs.

Such assault tactics are an innovation in warfare. Since the German forces showed last spring how effectively they could be employed in the reduction of Belgian and French strong points, the American engineer troops have been practicing constantly in their employment.

Equally in evidence throughout the day were other new types of equipment employed by engineers in the overcoming of obstacles of terrain in order that combat elements might advance without interruption.

In 16 minutes, for instance, an engineer company bridges a 120-foot creek with a new kind of ponton bridge, capable of bearing five-ton loads. Acting with the precision which comes from long practice, the engineers drove up to the creek bank in dump trucks loaded with nested 250-pound ponton sections and 250-pound plywood tread sections. These were unloaded by the simple expedient of dumping them upon the ground.

Rapidly the soldiers launched the ponton sections, joined them in pairs with an ingenious interlocking device, floated them into position, fastened the roadway into place, and—16 minutes from the time the company reached the river bank,—drove a fully loaded four-wheel drive truck to the opposite bank.

Also demonstrated were the standard types of ponton bridges—the 10-ton bridge, which uses pontoons of aluminum weighing 1,400 pounds each, and the 25-ton bridge, which uses 2,800-pound pontoons. The 10-ton bridge is designed to carry any automotive equipment contained within the infantry division, but it, as well as the 25-ton bridge, may be made to carry double its designed load.

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House Group Approves Navy's Promotion Bill

The House Naval Affairs Committee yesterday reported the bill H.R. 4473 authorizing temporary appointments and advancement of warrant officers and commissioned warrant officers of the Navy and Marine Corps, enlisted men of the regular establishment, Fleet Reserve and Fleet Marine Corps Reserve and commissioned officers of the Regular Navy and Marine Corps on the active list.

The committee added amendments broadening the measure to include Coast Guard personnel and removing the limitation on promotions beyond the grade of lieutenant commander.

Other amendments placed in the bill by the committee increased the uniform allowance from \$150 to \$250; authorized the inclusion of time served on active duty by retired officers in the computation of percentage increases in retired pay; provided that personnel temporarily promoted and later returned to permanent lower grades shall, when subsequently retired, be retired in their higher rank, but with retired pay based on the pay of the rank held at time of retirement.

A proposed amendment to provide for pay of grade in all temporary promotions was withdrawn after it was agreed that the matter should be handled in a separate measure. Representatives Melvin Maas and Ed. V. Izac were appointed a sub-committee to confer with the House Military Affairs Committee on this subject.

Assurance that all billets in aviation will be filled was asked by Chairman Carl W. Vinson and Capt. A. S. Carpenter, of the Bureau of Navigation, said advancement would be covered by a departmental board in which all branches of the Navy will be represented and the committee could be assured that billets will be filled. He said that in aviation at present time there are 27 vacancies for captain, 74 for commanders, 83 for lieutenant commanders and 318 for lieutenants.

Section 8 of the bill was completely rewritten to conform with the expressed wishes of members of the committee who had objected to the substitute draft offered by the Navy Department. The section as approved by the committee follows:

"Section 8 (a). An officer or enlisted man of the active list of the Regular Navy or Marine Corps, or an enlisted man of the Fleet Reserve or Fleet Marine Corps Reserve, who incurs physical disability while serving under a temporary appointment in a higher rank, shall be retired in such higher rank with retired pay at the rate of 75 per centum of the active duty pay to which he was entitled while serving in that rank.

"(b). An officer or enlisted man of the retired list of the Regular Navy or Marine Corps who was placed thereon for reasons other than physical disability shall, if he incurs physical disability while serving under a temporary appointment in a higher rank, be advanced on the retired list to such higher rank with retired pay at the rate of 75 per centum

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Warrant Officer Promotions

Legislation to provide opportunity for advancement to chief warrant officers of the Navy is being studied by the House Committee on Naval Affairs as a result of testimony given before the committee Tuesday afternoon by a group of Navy warrant officers. The witnesses appeared in connection with H. R. 4473 authorizing temporary promotions in the Navy and H. R. 2227 providing for the establishment of a specialist corps in the Navy.

Witnesses who appeared before the committee to urge a correction of the present situation in which a chief warrant officer is virtually up against a stone wall included Chief Pay Clerk Writner Hostetter, Chief Carpenter Thomas F. Coyne, Chief Boatswain William H. Fiddler, Jr., Chief Gunner Fred Jordan and Chief Machinist Virden J. Wixom. They all urged an amendment to the temporary

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Army Backs Measure For Pay on Promotion

The War Department has announced its approval in principle of the bill H. R. 2228 introduced by Representative Overton Brooks, La., which provides "that no commissioned officer of the United States Army shall receive less basic pay than any other officer of the same rank and length of commissioned service." The department recommends, however, that the purpose of the bill be attained through an amendment to the Pay Readjustment Act so as to include a period of national emergency in the provision which now governs pay during the existence of a state of war.

Representative Brooks, the author of the measure, said he was willing to accept the proposed amendment and announced that the Military Affairs Committee of which he is a member will hold a hearing on the measure next Tuesday, 20 May. In view of the support of the War Department, Mr. Brooks said he expects the bill to be speedily approved by the committee.

Following is the text of the War Department letter:

TEXT OF LETTER

"The War Department favors the enactment of legislation to accomplish substantially the purpose of H. R. 2228 which provides 'That no commissioned officer of the United States Army shall receive less basic pay than any other officer of the same rank and length of commissioned service.'

"The Act of 13 June, 1940 (Public No. 612—76th Congress), authorizes the promotion of officers after specified years of service in grade and provides that each promotion-list officer shall be assumed to have, for promotion purposes, at least the same length of continuous commissioned service in the Regular Army and service in grade as any officer junior to him.

"The Pay Readjustment Act of 10 June, 1922, as amended (42 Stat. 625) prescribes a base pay for each of six pay periods rather than a base pay for each of the six grades from second lieutenant to colonel, inclusive, and compensates to a large extent for excessively rapid or slow peacetime promotion by assigning pay periods on the basis of both grade and length of service.

"When the present Pay Act was passed it was realized that temporary increased rank for a large number of individuals would be

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Army Board to Pick 800 Eligibles for Colonelcy

A board of five general officers was appointed by the War Department this week to compile a list of lieutenant colonels and majors of the promotion list branches of the Regular Army as eligible for temporary promotion to the grade of colonel.

It is understood that the board was directed to meet at once. Not less than 800 officers will be placed on the initial eligible list, but the number of promotions that will be made from the list has not yet been determined. The number to be promoted will be decided by the Chief of Staff after a more detailed survey to determine the needs of the service.

The machinery for the making up of the eligible list and the subsequent selections from the eligible list will operate in the utmost secrecy, it was stated, in an effort to forestall any attempts at the use of influence. Appointments of members of the board to select the eligibles were made by confidential letter order so that their identity would not be known to the service. Neither is the date of their meeting to be made public, although it was stated they are to meet promptly.

In furtherance of the policy of secrecy, the list of eligibles will not be made public nor will individual officers be permitted to learn whether or not their names are carried on the eligible list. The only announcements to be made are the names of the officers actually promoted from time to time.

While the new policy provides that temporary promotions to the grade of colonel will be made by selecting lieutenant colonels and majors who have been placed on the eligible list to be compiled by the Board of General Officers, it is quite unlikely that there will be many majors so promoted in the initial groups. This is because it is stated that the general plan will be to select officers in the order in which they appear on the eligible list so that their relative seniority will be preserved when they are promoted to be colonels. Inasmuch as there are more than 2800 permanent lieutenant colonels on the promotion list of the Regular Army it does not seem probable that the first board will get very far down that list in picking approximately 800 for the initial eligible list. The two grades together, lieutenant colonels and majors, total more than 5,300 officers—all of whom, according to the official War Department announcement, are "available for selection" to the grade of colonel, so that if the authorities desire they may reach down and pick a junior major for temporary advancement to colonel.

The Board which will meet shortly to make up the first eligible list will have before it the official records of all officers, including their efficiency reports and medical records. In making up later lists it is hoped to have special reports from commanding officers in the field, commenting on the officers' performance if his duties during the current expansion program and next Summer's maneuvers.

There had been some talk that the new selection plan would not be applied to

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Nation's Press Views United States-Canadian Pact; Ponders Results

Plans of the United States for Western Hemispheric solidarity are being given more and more attention by the American press due to the critical problems created for the Americas by the international situation. This week the nation's press turned its attention to the United States' latest "mutual defense pact," that which President Roosevelt signed with Prime Minister Mackenzie King of Canada.

The *Journal-News*, of Hamilton, Ohio, declared, "Hemisphere defense has been bolstered and aid to Britain and the allies stepped up by the common sense arrangements on industrial and financial cooperation between the United States and Canada. The agreement reached between President Roosevelt and Prime Minister Mackenzie King, while it supplements, also introduces greater efficiency into the work of the joint permanent defense board created last August." The *Journal-News* added that, "Establishment of an American air and naval base on Newfoundland, the construction of a Canadian-American base on the border of Alaska, the taking over of Greenland by the United States, and the joint proposal to develop the St. Lawrence waterway were the foresighted steps to insure the protection of the dominion and this country."

The *Tribune* of Great Falls, Mont., viewed the gains made by the United States in fostering good-will and closer relations between the United States and Canada as establishment of a "new order" in the Americas. The *Tribune* declared that the United States-Canadian agreement is "but another step in the evolution of a course that started with the declaration, before the present war in Europe began, that the United States would feel obligated to go to the defense of Canada if the latter were attacked by a foreign power."

The *News*, of Buffalo, N. Y., says that as fuller details of the agreement between the United States and Canada come to light that "to all intents the two countries fuse their military economics for aid to Britain and for their mutual defense. Nor is the accord limited to the war but embraces joint reconstruction after the conflict ends."

The *Dayton, Ohio, News* reviewed the historic friendship between the United States and Canada with, "For a long age these two neighbors have been bound together by ties of commerce and cultural kinship and have stood as the world's happiest example of the power of good will to preserve international peace. Nowhere else on the earth can there be found between two great countries a border of 3,000 miles along which for a century and a quarter not one fortress has frowned. Now more than ever in the past the Dominion and the United States, facing a common danger realize their

common destiny." The *News* continued with the assertion that "Certainly, Canada's cause became our own by the resistless logic of events."

The *American*, of Austin, Tex., declares that the agreement "is good news—heartening news. From the uttermost end of the Alaskan archipelagos to Greenland there is a back door, or a series of back doors to North America. The interest of Canada and the United States in locking and double-barring those doors is mutual."

The *Gazette*, of Colorado Springs, Colo., declared that the effect of the Canadian-U. S. agreement "seems to bring Canada within the scope of the lease-lend act. If hemisphere defense seems to have little to do with all this, it must be remembered the defense has become a Mother Hubbard word," the *Gazette* said. The *Chronicle*, of San Francisco, Calif., pointed to a part of the agreement dealing with shipbuilding with, "Ever since the War of 1812 both Canada and the United States have been forbidden by treaty to build any warships on the Great Lakes. The theory, of course, was that any ships either built would be for use against the other. But since then a means has been provided to get ships in and out of the Great Lakes. And now Canada and the United States want all the ships built that can be. So warship building has been started up on the Great Lakes shipyards, but before it could be done Canada and the United States have had to ask each other's permission to do what both want done, and grant it. It is odd that what once was a threat of aggression now becomes necessary to the security of both."

The *News-Tribune*, of Duluth, Minn., declares that "the imaginary line that is all that has separated Canada and the United States was pretty nearly wiped out when President Roosevelt and Canadian Prime Minister King came to an understanding to unify the full industrial and economical resources of the two countries to support the struggle of the democracies against the Axis powers. Canada and the United States already had an agreement for a joint defense of North America against aggression, but the new agreement just about united them except politically." The *Post*, of Butte, Mont., called attention to an apparent part of the mutual defense program agreed upon by President Roosevelt and Prime Minister King, dealing with the construction of corvettes, small ships designed especially to fight submarines. These ships, the *Post* points out, are now being constructed in Canada for the U. S. Navy. "On their completion, they would be turned over to Britain under the lend-lease measure," the *Post* said.

Navy-Marine Promotion Bill

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of the active duty pay to which he was entitled while serving in that rank.

"(c). An officer or enlisted man of the retired list of the Regular Navy or Marine Corps who was placed thereon by reason of physical disability shall, if he incurs physical disability while serving under a temporary appointment in a higher rank, subject to the provisions of sub-section (e) hereof, be advanced on the retired list to such higher rank with retired pay at the rate of 75 per centum of the active duty pay to which he was entitled while serving in that rank.

"(d). An officer of the retired list of the Regular Navy or Marine Corps who was placed thereon for reasons other than physical disability shall, if he incurs physical disability while serving on active duty in the same rank as that held by him on the retired list and if not otherwise entitled thereto, receive 75 per centum of the active duty pay to which he was entitled while serving in that rank.

"(e). The benefits of this section shall apply only to an individual who incurs physical disability in line of duty in time of war or national emergency. In the case of those officers to whom sub-section (c) hereof is applicable retirement in the next higher rank shall be effected upon a finding by a naval retiring board that the disability was incident to the service while on active duty in the higher rank and upon a rating by such board, in accordance with regulations prescribed by the Secretary of the Navy, at not less than 30 per centum permanent disability. In all other cases officers shall be retired in accordance with existing law providing for the retirement of officers.

"(f). The jurisdiction of naval retiring boards is hereby extended as may be necessary in the administration of this section and their proceedings shall be conducted in all respects as provided by existing law and regulation except as may be necessary to adapt the same to cases provided for in this section.

"(g). The provisions of this section shall not apply in any case unless the proceedings of the naval retiring board shall be commenced within six months from the termination of the temporary appointment or relief from active duty of the individual concerned."

The Navy's substitute draft of section 8, which was rejected by the committee, read as follows:

"Section 8 (a) The benefits of this section shall apply only to an individual who hereafter incurs physical disability in the line of duty while serving in time of war as an officer

Retain Admiral Hart

Although he reaches the statutory retirement age in June, Admiral Thomas C. Hart, USN, most probably be retained as Commander-in-Chief of the Asiatic Fleet, it was indicated this week. Because of the critical situation in the Far East and the admirable manner in which Admiral Hart has managed affairs there, it is understood that the President and Secretary of the Navy have reached a decision to keep him on active duty beyond his retirement date.

Noteworthy is the fact that Admiral Hart's name does not appear on the official list announcing officers to be retired in June.

of the Navy or Marine Corps under a permanent appointment, or under a temporary appointment made pursuant to this Act, which disability is found by a naval retiring board to result directly from such war service and is rated in accordance with regulations prescribed by the Secretary of the Navy at not less than thirty per centum permanent disability.

"(b) An officer or enlisted man of the active list of the Regular Navy or Marine Corps, or an enlisted man of the Fleet Reserve or Fleet Marine Corps Reserve, who incurs physical disability while serving under a temporary appointment in a higher rank shall be retired in such higher rank with retired pay at the rate of seventy-five per centum of the active duty pay to which he was entitled while serving in that rank.

"(c) An officer or enlisted man of the retired list of the regular Navy or Marine Corps who incurs physical disability while serving under a temporary appointment in a higher rank shall be advanced on the retired list to such higher rank with retired pay at the rate of seventy-five per centum of the active duty pay to which he was entitled while serving in that rank.

"(d) An officer of the retired list of the regular Navy or Marine Corps who incurs physical disability while serving on active duty in the same rank as that held by him on the retired list shall, if not otherwise entitled thereto, receive seventy-five per centum of the active duty pay to which he was entitled while serving in that rank.

"(e) The jurisdiction of naval retiring boards is hereby extended as may be necessary in the administration of this section and their proceedings shall be conducted in all respects as provided by existing law and regulations except as may be necessary to adapt same to the cases provided for in this section.

"(f) The provisions of this section shall not apply in any case unless the proceedings of the naval retiring board shall be commenced within six months from the termination of the temporary appointment or release from active duty of the individual concerned."

The full text of the original bill was printed on page 970 of the ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL of 26 April 1941.

During the hearing, which consumed

three days, Rear Adm. Chester W. Nimitz, Chief of the Bureau of Navigation, presented a prepared statement in support of the bill and also discussed its provisions by sections. Under questioning from members of the committee he continually reiterated that he was speaking for the benefit of the Navy and not for the benefit of individuals.

Admiral Nimitz said it is expected that more than 1,000 additional warrant officers and chief warrant officers will be needed by the expanding Navy, and said, in reply to a question, that the Navy has tentatively set an age limit of 55 for such appointments.

Sea-going Training

In a running debate with Representative Melvin J. Maas, ranking Republican member of the committee, Admiral Nimitz defended his position that the warrant officers should be taken principally from Regular Navy personnel rather than Reserves and declared the Reserves lack sufficient sea-going training. Maas charged that the lack of sea-going training was a reflection on the Navy Department. "You are going to destroy the Reserve if you act this way," he said.

Later Admiral Nimitz said he had no objection to an amendment to the bill to open the door to reserves but expressed the opinion that very few would receive appointments in competition with regulars.

Representative Warren Magnusson, Wash., declared that warrant officers and chief warrant officers are the best available source of officer material in the Navy. "In their specialty, Yes," Admiral Nimitz rejoined. Magnusson then urged that machinery be set up in the Navy to provide an opportunity to such personnel to get permanent promotions, but was told by the witness that such a move could well await the end of the war. "Right now," Nimitz said, "we are trying to meet the needs of the service rather than reward certain individuals. That can await until the war is over. I don't think we should set up a special class. We should wait to see what the needs of the Navy are after the emergency instead of trying to settle the question now."

No Command Promotions

Admiral Nimitz told the committee that under the temporary promotion plan contemplated in the bill practically every officer up to the grade of lieutenant commander that is rated as fitted will be promoted, but that no temporary promotions are contemplated at this time in the command grades. He said the method whereby temporary promotions will be made has not yet been settled but that it proba-

bly will be by selection. He attempted to avert debate on the question of aviation promotions by declaring "the committee can legislate procedure or make suggestions to the Secretary of the Navy."

Representative Maas said that naval aviation will need higher grades and may have to jump two grades sometimes, whereas the bill limits promotions to one grade at a time. He also said that naval aviation should have additional flag officers and suggested that the limit on vice admirals be raised. He was reminded by Admiral Nimitz that a bill to permit more vice admirals is now pending before the committee.

Retired Promotions

Both Representatives Maas and Ed. V. Izac, Calif., spoke vigorously for an amendment to the measure to open the door to promotion of retired officers called to active duty, to which Admiral Nimitz responded: "I think it very nice if the committee wants to give retired men promotions, but I am speaking only about what the Navy needs. It is a cold-blooded proposition of what is best for the country. It's a tough life, but we all live it."

The committee was informed that retired Navy personnel now on active duty includes 2 admirals, 4 rear admirals, 102 captains, 184 commanders, 418 lieutenant commanders, 380 lieutenants, 76 lieutenants (jg), 5 ensigns and 75 warrant officers and chief warrant officers to make a total of 1,246 out of a total of 3,545 on the retired list.

Include Coast Guard

Representative Schuyler O. Bland, Va., chairman of the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries, urged that the bill be amended to include the Coast Guard. Admiral Nimitz said the Navy would have no objection to such an amendment.

Enlisted Men

The Navy's plan to grant a uniform allowance of \$150 to enlisted men who are temporarily promoted came under fire from members of the committee when Admiral Nimitz testified under questioning that the actual cost of a uniform is about \$246. It was brought out that Reserve officers called to active duty get \$100 plus an additional \$150 upon mobilization which committee members declared has the effect of a \$250 uniform allowance. Both Mr. Maas and Mrs. Izac attacked this provision of the bill, declaring purchase of a uniform imposes a heavy burden on the enlisted man temporarily promoted.

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Endorses Army Pay

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necessary in time of war and that such temporary promotion would create inequities in any peacetime pay schedule. To provide for such a contingency the Act includes the following provision: 'During the existence of a state of war, formally recognized by Congress, officers of grades corresponding to those of colonel, lieutenant colonel, major, captain, and first lieutenant of the Army, holding either permanent or temporary commissions as such, shall receive the pay of the sixth, fifth, fourth, third, and second periods, respectively, unless entitled under the foregoing provisions of this section to the pay of a higher period.' (Par. 9, section 1, Act of 10 June, 1922; 42 Stat. 625.)

The war time situation for which temporary promotion and pay adjustments were provided in the National Defense and the Pay Readjustment Act, respectively, now exists, with respect to these matters, in the form of a national emergency. The provision in the National Defense Act which authorizes appointment of officers to higher temporary grades in time of war has recently been amended to read: 'In time of war or national emergency determined by the President any officer of the Regular Army may be appointed to higher temporary grade without vacating his permanent appointment.'

'National Guard and Reserve officers, while in the Federal service and serving in the grades of colonel, lieutenant colonel, major, captain, first lieutenant, and second lieutenant, receive the pay of the sixth, fifth, fourth, third, second, and first periods, respectively. Regular Army promotion-list officers with temporary increased rank enter these periods, above the first, after 3, 7, 14, 20, and 26 years' service, respectively. Regular Army and National Guard officers, while on active duty, receive longevity pay at the rate of 5 per cent of their base pay for each 3 years of service. Reserve officers receive longevity pay at the same rate but may count for pay purposes full time during which they have performed active duty and one-half time for other periods during which they have held reserve commissions. Normally in time of peace pay disparities are prevented by promotion requirements and in time of war by the provision in the Pay Readjustment Act quoted above. Temporary selective promotion in time of war has been anticipated and balanced by the war time pay provision, but the selective temporary promotion which is essential for command purposes at the present time has no corresponding pay adjustment, and as result many officers receive less pay than others of the same rank and length of commissioned service. The following table illustrates disparities which now exist between the base pay of certain officers of the Army of the

quire constant checking of many records by disbursing officers and administrative agencies. An error in computing the length of service of one individual would probably affect many others and disallowances by the General Accounting Office would necessitate adjustments years later. The term 'commissioned service, as used in the bill is subject to interpretation as it is not synonymous in all cases with commissioned service which may now be counted for pay purposes.

"In the opinion of the War Department the situation can best be remedied and the purpose of H. R. 2228 accomplished by amending the Pay Readjustment Act so as to include a period of national emergency in the provision which now governs pay during the existence of a state of war. It is recommended that H. R. 2228 be amended to read as follows:

"To amend the Pay Readjustment Act of 10 June, 1922, so as to equalize the rates of pay of commissioned officers of corresponding grade and length of service.

"Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That paragraph 9, section 1, of the Pay Readjustment Act of 10 June 1922, as amended (42 Stat. 625), be, and the same is hereby amended to read as follows: During the existence of a state of war, formally recognized by Congress, or a national emergency determined by the President, officers of grades corresponding to those of colonel, lieutenant colonel, major, captain, and first lieutenant of the Army, holding either permanent or temporary commissions as such, shall receive the pay of the sixth, fifth, fourth, third, and second periods, respectively, unless entitled under the foregoing provisions of this section to the pay of a higher period: Provided, that officers of the National Guard or of the reserve forces of any of the Services mentioned in the title of this Act, when authorized by law to receive Federal pay, may count for all pay purposes the service now authorized to be counted by Section 3 hereof.

"The cost of H. R. 2228, either in its present form or amended as proposed by the War Department, is estimated as approximately \$2,080,776 per year for the Regular Army. Data is not readily available for computing the cost for the National Guard and Officers' Reserve Corps, but as these officers now receive base pay in accordance with the rank they hold the legislation would affect few if any members of the reserve components.

"The War Department considers that the present inequalities of pay justify favorable consideration for H. R. 2228. However, it desires to make of record the fact that the Department had no part in the introduction of the proposed legislation, and had no intention at this time of bringing up the question of pay in connection with temporary promotion.

Grade	Yrs. of service less than	Pay period	Monthly base pay
		N.G. & R.A.	N.G. & R.A.
1st Lt.	3	1	\$125.00
Capt.	7	2	166.67
Major	14	3	200.00
Lt. Col.	20	4	250.00
Col.	26	5	291.67

Grade	Yrs. of service less than	Monthly base pay	Base and longevity pay
		N.G. & R.A.	N.G. & R.A.
1st Lt.	3	\$125.00	\$166.67
Capt.	7	200.00	183.33
Major	14	250.00	240.00
Lt. Col.	20	291.67	325.00
Col.	26	333.33	408.33

*Credited with only 50% of time in Officers' Reserve Corps. However, Reserve officers may count 100% of time spent on active duty.

United States:

"A few disparities similar to those listed above exist within the Regular Army as result of temporary promotion.

"H. R. 2228 would in effect amend the Pay Readjustment Act to meet present conditions and parallel, insofar as pay is concerned, the recent amendment to the National Defense Act authorizing temporary promotion in time of emergency. The measure, as now worded, would be difficult to administer. To insure that an officer did not receive less base pay than any other officer of the same rank and length of commissioned service would re-

"The Bureau of the Budget advises that there is no objection to the submission of this report."

Naval War College Graduates

Twenty-two officers were graduated from the Naval War College, Newport, R. I., on 16 May. Secretary of the Navy Knox delivered the main address to the graduating class.

Following is a roster of the graduating class:

Advanced Course	
Capt. E. A. Lofquist, USN	Lt. Col. E. S. Johnston, USA
Senior Course	
Capt. R. H. Bastedo, USN	Comdr. W. L. Taylor, USN
Comdr. R. W. Bates, USN	Capt. E. L. Woodside, USN
Comdr. J. H. Brown, Jr., USN	Comdr. K. E. Lowman, (MC), USN
Capt. L. L. Hunter, USN	Col. Robert Blake, USMC
Comdr. E. R. Johnson, USN	Mal. C. C. Brown, USMC
Comdr. W. G. Ludlow, USN	Lt. Col. J. P. Brown, USMC
Cant. C. R. Robinson, USN	Mal. Donald Spicer, USMC
Comdr. B. J. Rodgers, USN	Mal. Donald Spicer, USMC
Capt. F. W. Scanland, USN	Lt. Col. L. E. Woods, USMC
Comdr. G. E. Short, USN	
Junior Course	
Lt. Comdr. P. F. Dugan, USN	Lt. Comdr. L. L. Rowe, USN
Lt. Comdr. W. L. Messmer, USN	Lt. Comdr. R. H. Tuttle, USN

Baltic Society Hold Dinner

The annual dinner of the Baltic Society, composed of the personnel who accompanied General John J. Pershing to France, was held at the Army and Navy Club, Washington, D. C., on 10 May. The dinner marked the anniversary of the date on which General Pershing was made commander of the AEF.

Sgt. Robert P. Pfeiffer and Philip Meisel, who were in Europe at the time Hitler made his invasion sweep across Belgium and France, were the principal speakers at the meeting and told of their experiences during those "invasion days." Maj. Gen. George S. Patton, Jr., commander of the 2nd Armored Division, Ft. Benning, Ga., also delivered a short address dealing with the armored force and its part in modern warfare. Maj. Gen. Fox Connor presided.

General Pershing, who recently returned to Washington from San Antonio, Texas, was present at the dinner and gave a short address.

In previous years the society has held its dinner on or near 28 May, the anniversary of the sailing of the SS Baltic which took General Pershing and his party to London, from whence he went to Paris to establish his headquarters.

Those who attended the dinner included:

General John J. Pershing	Maj. Gen. Merritt W. Ireland
Col. George E. Adamson	Col. Edward B. McCarron
Col. Roger G. Alexander	Mr. Philip Meisel
Sgt. Louis A. Beaman	Capt. Ray T. Middleton
Col. Henry Beeuwkes	Col. Hugh B. Moore
Maj. Gen. Walter A. Bethel	Maj. Gen. Dennis E. Nolan
Mr. Bertin E. Casson	Col. Frederick Palmer
Col. John S. Chambers	Maj. Gen. George S. Patton, Jr.
Maj. Gen. Fox Connor	Sgt. Robert P. Pfeiffer
Sgt. Harry Cooper	Brig. Gen. Samuel D. Rockenbach
Warrant Off. Joe Darsey	Capt. Grover W. Roth
Mr. George F. Denis	Warrant Off. Oliver E. Scheid
Capt. Dixie B. Gwynn	Warrant Off. Charles B. Shaw
Maj. Gen. James G. Harbord	Col. David S. Stanley
Gen. John L. Hines	Maj. Gen. Clarence C. Williams
Col. Parker Hitt	Col. Hugh H. Young
Maj. Samuel T. Hubbard	

Defends Reserve Promotion Bill

Representative Paul J. Kilday, Texas, author of the bill H. R. 3962 establishing a schedule of promotions for Reserve Officers, said this week that he regarded the opposition of the War Department, as expressed in a letter printed in the ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL last week, as lacking "any legitimate objection." He denied a statement in the letter that promotions are more rapid in the Reserve Corps than in the Regular Army. In discussing the report, he said:

"I have studied the report of the War Department on R. H. 3962 with a good deal of care and fail to find in it any legitimate objection to the adoption of the bill. It is interesting to note this sentence in the report: 'Promotion in the Officers' Reserve Corps is now more rapid than in the Regular Army. In view of the fact that the regulation requiring a vacancy to exist in the higher grade has completely stagnated promotion for years, this sentence should have been followed, but was not, by a statement to the effect that such promotion is more rapid in theory only and practically non-existent in fact.

"The following paragraph of the report raises a fundamental question affecting the Reserve Corps:—

"Mandatory promotion as provided in H. R. 3962 would develop a Reserve Corps with such a large proportion of senior officers that it would soon become unusable. The overwhelming demand in an expansion of the Army is officers in junior grades. In time of war or national emergency, field grades can and should be filled by temporary promotion of the best qualified commissioned personnel on the basis of selection for demonstrated leadership ability."

"If such a policy should be established the Reserve Corps would constitute a body of junior officers only. I simply propound the question:—Are reserve officers to be restricted to junior grades? With a negligible number of reserve officers above the grade of captain on active duty and practically no regular officer now holding rank below captain, it would appear as if the Department has answered my question.

"To my mind it is impossible to reconcile the expressed fear of an excess of senior of-

ficers with Public 612 under which the Regular Army now has mandatory promotion after years in grade and there is no complaint of an excess of senior officers in the Regular establishment."

Navy Retirement Pay

A change in the retirement law to prevent an officer of the Navy who retires voluntarily after 30 years of service from receiving more than an officer of the same rank who is retired upon reaching the statutory retirement age was recommended this week by the Navy Department. Acting Secretary of the Navy Bard sent Congress a draft of a proposed bill which would eliminate this situation by abolishing retirement voluntarily at three-fourths of the highest pay of the grade in which the officer is retired and providing that such retirement will be at three-fourths of the pay of the rank held at the time of retirement. The letter transmitting the bill follows:

"There is transmitted herewith a draft of a proposed bill 'To amend the Act Approved May 13, 1908 (35 Stat. 128; U. S. C. title 34, 383), relative to retirement of officers of the United States Navy after thirty years' service."

"The purpose of the proposed legislation is to correct a disparity in the pay of officers retiring under certain conditions.

"Under existing law (35 Stat. 128; U. S. C. title 34, sec. 383), an officer who retires voluntarily after thirty years of service is entitled to 'three-fourths of the highest pay of his grade;' whereas an officer who is retired upon reaching the statutory retirement age of sixty-four years is entitled to three-fourths of the pay of the rank which he then holds. In some cases the latter would be less than the former, which is obviously undesirable, and the proposed bill would make retired pay after thirty years of service the same as that after reaching the statutory retirement age.

"The Navy Department recommends enactment of the proposed legislation.

"The President has indicated that this proposed legislation meets with his approval and the Bureau of the Budget has advised the Navy Department that there would be no objection to the submission of this recommendation."

Seamen May Become Ensigns

Enlisted men of the Navy and Naval Reserve may undertake training as reserve midshipmen, the Navy Department ruled this week, provided they meet general requirements for appointment and are recommended by their commanding officers or district commandants as suitable material to receive commission as ensign, D-V (G), Naval Reserve.

Applicants who are accepted must agree not to marry prior to completion of reserve midshipmen training. Regular Navy applicants will be discharged and reenlisted as apprentice seamen, class V-7. Those accepted from the Naval Reserve will be transferred to class V-7 and rating changed to apprentice seamen.

Applicants who do not qualify for appointment will resign or be discharged and may, if they desire, be reenlisted in the rating formerly held in the Navy or Naval Reserve.

Qualifications for appointment and method of filing application are outlined in Bureau of Navigation Circular Letter No. 56-41.

The Journal Salutes

This week the ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL salutes the members of the United States Naval Academy class of 1941 which has started its long and honorable career in the Navy with nearly 400 commissioned line officers. From these, in times to come, many high ranking naval officers will be chosen and by the turn of the century its achievements will be legend. For the present, however, they are pleased to be known as the "New Ensigns."

The permanent class organization consists of the following committee:

- W. C. Williamson, Jr., chairman.
 - Russell Willson, Jr., secretary.
 - L. B. Pride, Jr., treasurer.
 - J. L. Landreth
 - P. H. Backus
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Did You Read—

the following important service stories last week:

- All Regular Army units to have quotas of three-year men?
- Navy medical officers graduate from Navy Medical School?
- Army opposes H.R. 3962 which would promote Reserve officers?
- Army commander bans answers to certain survey questions by enlisted men?
- Four hundred Marine officers available for troop duty first of month?
- New Army bandleaders eligible list?
- If not you did not read the ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL. You cannot obtain this information from any other source.

THE UNITED STATES ARMY

Officers Change of Station

Orders for change of station will henceforth be issued far enough in advance to give the officer concerned at least one month's notice, the War Department announces. Shorter notice will still prevail, however, when the exigencies of the service make it necessary.

Army Nominations

The following nominations for appointment and promotion in the Regular Army were sent to the Senate on 12 May:

Appointments to temporary rank in the Air Corps in the Regular Army of the United States:

To be Lieutenant Colonel
Maj. George V. McPike, AC.

To be Major
Capt. Frederick E. Calhoun, AC.
Capt. Carl R. Feldmann, AC.
Capt. Ralph P. Swoford, Jr., AC.
Note.—Dates of rank are omitted as the death or other unforeseen change in status of a senior officer might require a change in the dates of rank and necessitate the renomination of these officers.

Appointments, by transfer, in the Regular Army of the United States:

To Quartermaster Corps
Lt. Col. Murray C. Wilson, FA, with rank from 4 May 1941.
1st Lt. Roy T. Evans, Jr., Inf., with rank from 13 June 1936.

To Ordnance Department
Capt. Joseph A. McNeerney, Inf., with rank from 13 June 1939.
1st Lt. Daniel J. Murphy, FA, with rank from 12 June 1938.
1st Lt. Harry E. Mikkelsen, FA, with rank from 12 June 1939.

To Air Corps
2nd Lt. Leonard E. Symroski, CAC, with rank from 11 June 1940.
2nd Lt. Melville Osters, Inf., with rank from 11 June 1940.
Promotions in the Regular Army of the United States:

To be Colonels With Rank from 1 May 1941
Lt. Col. Rudolf W. Riefkohl, QMC.
Lt. Col. Alexander C. Sullivan, FA.
Lt. Col. Joseph P. Vachon, Inf.

Army Promotion Policy

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officers of the Air Corps because of the special Act of Congress available to them for the temporary advancement of air officers. However, it has been determined to include them in the selections in order that their relative rank may be preserved. It is recalled that the Air Corps Temporary Advancement Act provides that officers promoted pursuant to its provisions would, for purposes of seniority, only rank officers of the Air Corps and not officers of the other Arms and Services. By promoting them under section 127a of the National Defense Act (the general temporary rank law) their seniority in the higher rank would be preserved.

The laws concerning this preservation of relative rank are very complicated and upsets can be caused inadvertently. For example, when the first few groups of general officers were temporarily promoted under the new law they were all promoted as of the same day, the assumption being that by dating them all the same day their relative ranks would remain the same as it had in the lower grade. It was later discovered, however, that an old law holds that when officers are promoted to a grade on the same day they shall rank among themselves in accordance with their total length of service. The result was that a number of the officers promoted temporarily from brigadier to major general were completely rearranged in relative rank. Maj. Gen. Charles L. Scott, commander of the Armored Corps, jumped about 17 major generals, while Maj. Gen. William Bryden and Maj. Gen. Lesley J. McNair lost a few files each. To prevent that from happening in the future, officers so promoted are now dated a day or so apart to preserve their relative rank. Likewise, to protect the rank of the Air Corps officers they will be included in the selection policy and promoted under the 127a section of the National Defense Act.

Reserve Promotion

Meanwhile, the General Staff is continuing its study of promotions for Reserve Officers on extended active duty. It was pointed out that by July approximately half of the Reserve Officers of the Army will be on active duty. In that status their time will be completely taken up with military duties and they will have little opportunity to keep up with the extension courses required for promotion under the normal peace time system. Therefore, it is stated definitely that some new system of promotion will have to be devised for them.

That the new Reserve promotion will have in it an element of selection on their record appears most probable, particularly in view of the stand taken by the War Department in its letter to Congress last week rejecting the bill which would have provided mandatory promotion on length of service. This letter, printed in last week's ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL, stated that "Mandatory promotion as provided in HR 3962 would develop a Reserve Corps with such a large proportion of senior officers that it would soon become unusable. The overwhelming demand in an expansion of the Army is for officers in the junior grades. In time of war or national emergency, field grades can and should be filled by temporary promotion of the best qualified commissioned personnel on the basis of selection for demonstrated leadership ability."

AC Enlisted Promotions

Indications that the Air Corps might transfer promotions of enlisted men of all grades from Office of Chief of Air Corps, to field commanders was revealed this week. While Air Corps officials said that nothing definite has been done in the way of changing the promotion system, they did state however that such a plan is under study.

Under a new policy approved during April by the War Department, promotions of all enlisted men of all grades were transferred to field commanders, in

all branches except the Finance Department, Medical Department and the Air Corps. The Finance Department in February instituted a new promotion system under which single eligible lists were abolished and promotions were made by the Chief of Finance for each field, army, corps area and department on the basis of recommendations submitted by the respective commanding generals. The Medical Corps, too, has placed all promotions, except for general hospitals and some exempted stations, in the field.

Recently the Air Corps announced a relatively large number of promotions to technical and master sergeant, and officials stated this week that the eligible list for promotion to master sergeant was exhausted with the promotions made effective on 1 May. No new eligible list has been made up and officials state that the Office of Chief of Air Corps has not yet asked for recommendations from commanding officers for a new eligible list. They also indicated that recommendations will not be asked for until a decision has been reached on the promotion system.

The Defense Program

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merely by spacing the supporting pontons more closely together.

These two bridges are standard equipment for the engineers. The five-ton bridge is still an experiment, and it probably will be found necessary to increase the strength—and consequently the weight—of the plywood sections which form the roadway over the pontons. The pontons themselves are admirably designed, for each 250-pound section also may be used independently as an assault boat.

The conventional assault boats themselves were also shown to the visiting engineer society during its inspection tour. These assault boats are made of plywood, weigh only 200 pounds, but will carry 12 men each, so that a full squad may be rapidly ferried across a stream under fire, and so establish a bridgehead to cover the subsequent bridge-building operations.

Also demonstrated was the model 1935 footbridge, which was thrown across the stream in seven minutes.

After witnessing the bridge-building operations, the visitors were conveyed through the permanent section of the post, past a truss-girder bridge, capable of bearing 20-ton loads, to Gunston Cove, where lunch was served from field kitchens.

On hand for inspection during the lunch hour were various types of engineer equipment, including searchlights, portable traffic lights, and a camouflaged water "point" or water purification unit, which produced potable water at the rate of 900 gallons an hour.

After lunch, the visitors were given an opportunity to inspect the barracks, mess halls and other facilities of the 10,500-man replacement center, and were then taken into the woods along a creek bed, where selectees, using portable motor-driven saws, earth tampers and other modern construction equipment, were building various types of bridges with materials at hand.

Finally came the tour of the fortification area, climaxed by the assault on the protected pillbox, which ended the day's demonstrations. In this area also selectee groups were filling sandbags, digging trenches, laying barbed wire, constructing dugouts and antitank obstacles.

The demonstration of activities at Ft. Belvoir was arranged for the second day of a two-day meeting of the American Society of Military Engineers.

Army Warrant Officers' Bill

The House Committee on Military Affairs probably will resume consideration next week of the bill H. R. 2281 creating the grade of chief warrant officer in the Army and increasing the number of warrant officers that may be appointed, Chairman Andrew J. May reports. Mr. May said an effort will be made to consider the

bill next Tuesday, 19 May, unless the hearing on H. R. 2228, the pay-of-grade bill, consumes too much time.

Some members of the committee are reported to favor amending the bill to extend its provisions to the National Guard and give credit for minimum service requirements to service in any of the components of the Army of the United States.

Panama Canal Dept. Staff

Chaplain (Maj.) Joseph R. Koch, USA, France Field, C. Z., has been announced as Department Chaplain, Panama Canal Department, vice Chaplain (Lt. Col.) James L. Blakney, USA, relieved. Lt. Col. John F. Kahle, GSC, becomes Assistant Chief of Staff, G-1, vice Maj. Henry E. Sanderson, GSC, relieved, while Lt. Col. Eugene F. Smith, JAGD, has been selected as Department Judge Advocate, vice Lt. Col. Burritt H. Hinman, JAGD, relieved.

Texas Defense Guard

Brig. Gen. J. Watt Page, The Adjutant General of Texas, reports that the Texas Defense Guard had a strength, as of 30 April, of 13,852 enlisted men and 736 commissioned officers. These units consist of 200 companies organized into battalions of four companies each. Although not yet equipped with Government rifles and other equipment, they are, nevertheless, drilling once each week and have personal arms available.

The strength of 10,000 for the Texas guards, reported in the ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL of 3 May, was from an earlier report to the War Department, since which the Texas units increased by 4,588.

Enlisted Army Mail Clerks

Legislation authorizing the employment of enlisted men of the Army as mail clerks at leased bases in the Hemisphere Defense Plan was asked of Congress this week by Postmaster General Frank Walker. In a letter to the Speaker of the House, Mr. Walker wrote:

"In order that the necessary postal facilities may be supplied at Leased Defense Bases it is urgently requested that legislation be enacted to authorize the designation of enlisted men as Army mail clerks and assistant mail clerks." He submitted a draft of a proposed bill patterned after legislation now applicable to Navy mail clerks and assistants.

Housing for 22nd Obs. Sq.

A \$1,476,673 construction project of housing facilities for the 22nd Observation Squadron at De Ridder, Louisiana, was approved this week.

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Warrant Officer Promotions (Continued from First Page)

promotion bill to make provision for permanent promotions for warrant officers and chief warrant officers, or enactment of H. R. 2227 which would provide for commissioning such warrant officers up to the rank of lieutenant commander.

The witnesses united in declaring that they were not looking for more pay but instead were merely endeavoring to secure a rank commensurate with their duties. It was brought out in the testimony that a chief warrant officer receives considerably more pay than some commissioned officers, which led Chairman Carl W. Vinson to express the opinion that commissioning a chief warrant officer as an ensign or lieutenant (jg) would actually be a demotion. Witnesses declared, however, that it was embarrassing for a chief warrant officer with more than 20 years' service in the Navy to be ranked by an ensign just out of the Naval Academy. Representative Ed. V. Izac, Calif., said the matter is even worse when it is recalled that there are 10,000 Naval Reserve officers who also rank veteran warrant officers while on active duty.

Rear Adm. Chester W. Nimitz, chief of the Bureau of Navigation, testified before the committee earlier that the law permits promotion of 12 chief warrant officers each year upon examination, and declared that this quota had not been filled for years. Other witnesses pointed out, however, that the law limits the age of such appointees to 35 and very few men reach the grade of chief warrant until they are older. Consequently, it was charged, a man who reaches the grade of chief warrant officer has nothing to look forward to except retirement.

General opinion of the witnesses was that specialist corps should be set up in which warrant officers could advance as high as lieutenant commanders, but would not be forced to compete with academy graduates for promotion. It was suggested that some letter follow the title to designate specialist rating.

Chief Boatswain Fiddler cited his case as typical. He said he had almost 35 years' service in the Navy and has absolutely

no chance of permanent promotion unless new legislation is enacted. His duties are to assist the first lieutenant and this embraces the assumption of heavy responsibilities which could not be shouldered by the average ensign or reserve officer.

The specialist corps method was the most popular remedy advanced by the witnesses, but it was recalled that the Navy Department on 18 March opposed the bill on the ground that chief warrant and warrant officers are specialists and "as such their usefulness on board ship falls short of what is expected of commissioned officers of the ranks contemplated and results in their being under the direction of other officers."

Chairman Vinson told the witnesses that the committee "is very much impressed and will try to work out some method of promotion." He said: "In my opinion you gentlemen are far better qualified after years of experience at sea to be ensigns than boys they pick up out of college and send to sea for 30 days and then send back to college for 60 days and give them a commission."

Marine Corps Activities

Intensified recruiting has been started again by the Marine Corps to fill a new authorized strength of 46,400 men. In recent weeks the corps had been stabilized at 38,600 men, but recently enacted legislation now fixes the permanent authorized strength at 46,400, with provision that the President, in time of emergency, may increase strength to 60,000 men. The President has not yet authorized this increase, so present goal is 46,400.

Five hundred additional men had been recruited by 14 May, when enlisted strength stood at 39,102. There are 9,000 Reserves on active duty, giving the corps an enlisted personnel aggregating 48,201.

Increase in the permanent authorized enlisted strength will result in expansion of officer personnel by 1,040. Plans for procuring these additional officers have not yet crystallized. The effect of the officer increase on present allocations of grades was discussed at length in the 19 April issue of the ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL.

The Marine Corps has begun to get deliveries of its new standard shoulder weapon, the Garand semiautomatic rifle. It is scheduled to receive 3,000 of the rifles this month and equal amounts each month thereafter, but officials are maintaining silence on the total number of Garands to be procured for the corps.

A second class of parachute jumpers has completed instruction at Lakehurst Naval Air Station and has been assigned to the Marine parachute unit at San Diego. A third class is still under instruction at Lakehurst.

Identification Tags for Navy

Identification tags of the World War variety will be used for personnel of the U. S. Navy, with distribution to start about 1 August. It was announced this week by Rear Adm. Chester W. Nimitz, Chief of the Bureau of Navigation. The identification tag will be an oval plate of monel metal, 1.25 by 1.5 inches. It will be worn suspended from the neck chain.

The tag will have the name of the officer or man, the rank or rate, type of blood and indication as to whether the man is a member of the Regular Navy or Marine Corps, or of the reserves of these two components, stamped on the face by a graphotype machine. The obverse side will have an etching of the fingerprint of the right index finger.

Represents Navy Surgeon General

The Surgeon General of the Navy was represented by Capt. E. W. Brown, (MC), USN, Navy Yard, New York, N. Y., at the Annual Meeting of the American Association of Industrial Physicians and Surgeons at the William Penn Hotel, Pittsburgh, Pa., May 5 to 9, 1941. Captain Brown presented a paper entitled: "Silicosis Among Naval Foundrymen."

Reserve Ensigns Graduate

Graduation ceremonies for reserve midshipmen, members of the first reservist class in history to attend the U. S. Naval Academy at Annapolis, were held on Thursday.

Governor Herbert R. O'Connor, of Maryland, addressed the graduating class and presented the midshipmen with commissions as ensigns, in the Reserves. Thousands of parents, sweethearts and friends of the graduates attended the graduation services.

The exercise culminated a week of graduation rehearsal and full dress parading as well as farewell balls and dinners.

Members of the class were:

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Ira J. Habeshian
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J. L. Schroeder, jr.
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John C. Sellers
Robert H. Senter
Robert B. Sillock
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Merrill J. Hemby
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U. S. COAST GUARD

THE Additional Urgent Deficiency Appropriation Bill for 1941 which was passed by the House of Representatives last week provides the Coast Guard with \$2,390,000 for aids to navigation, \$738,000 for general expenses, and \$428,000 for emergency construction.

The sum voted for aids to navigation will provide Coast Guard facilities in connection with new naval and air bases at the leased bases on British possessions in this hemisphere including Bermuda, Jamaica, Antigua, St. Lucia, Trinidad and British Guiana, and on the Island of Guam, Samoa and Vieques Sound, Puerto Rico. The appropriation also will provide facilities at Resurrection Bay, Alaska, and 244 buoys in the continental United States.

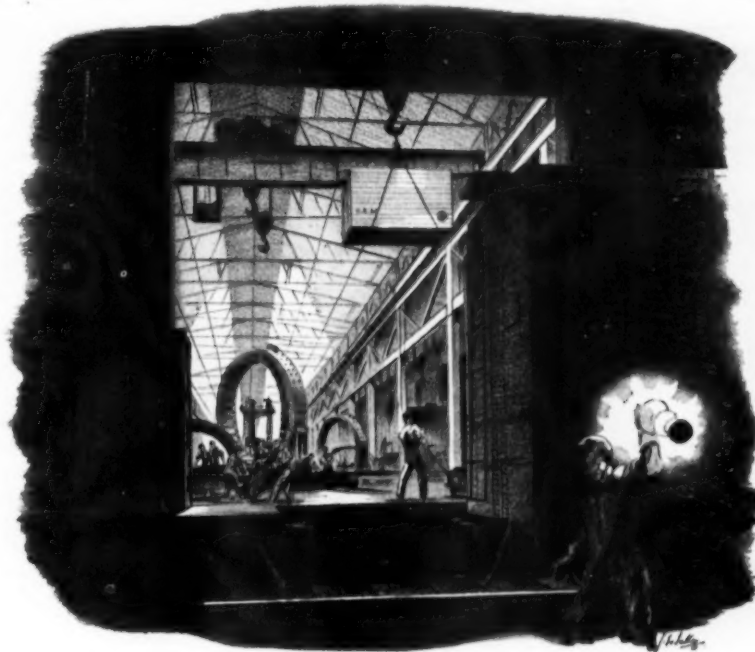
The general expense item will provide \$35,000 for operation of 100 auxiliary boats under the Coast Guard Auxiliary and Reserve; \$371,000 for communication equipment for stations and small boats; \$33,000 for replacement of obsolete radio direction finder equipment on 33 125-foot cutters; equipment for establishing ships' position offices in Norfolk, Jacksonville, New Orleans, Ketchikan, Seattle, San Francisco and Honolulu; \$135,980 for ammunition for antiaircraft target practice, and \$147,320 for relocation of the Tillamook Bay, Ore., life-saving station damaged by storm. The \$428,000 item is to make up the deficit in the appropriation for construction of two shipbuilding yards and a drydock at the Curtis Bay Depot

near Baltimore, Md.

Reconnaissance Flights

Lt. R. R. Johnson, commanding officer of the Air Patrol Detachment, Traverse City, Mich., in cooperation with the Cutters Tahoma, Ossipee and Escanaba performed reconnaissance flights from 1 to 15 April which greatly facilitated ice breaking operations in certain areas of Lake Michigan and Lake Superior.

The timely ice-breaking accomplishments were of paramount importance to shippers and carriers in the Great Lakes Area in the movement of raw materials necessary to national defense. The results are borne out by figures which show that in April, 1941, 6,954,793 tons of iron ore were shipped from the upper Great Lakes region compared with a previous all time high of 3,770,555 tons during a similar period. The great increase in the shipment of iron ore was due to the earlier opening of navigation made possible by reason of the cooperation of the Coast Guard.



Out of the Night

IN LOS ANGELES it is eleven o'clock; in Detroit, one; in Schenectady it is two o'clock in the morning.

In Los Angeles a young riveter moves a little faster down the row of rivets that stitches a gleaming airfoil. In Detroit a helmeted welder concentrates on the harsh arc that knits two pieces of steel plate. In Schenectady a veteran machinist watches a little more intently the lathe tool that pares a precise 1/1000 of an inch from a 20-inch steel shaft.

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Look! You will see them: factory windows ablaze at night . . . long freights rolling by in the twilight . . . somewhere in New-foundland six bombers, motors idling, poised eastward on a runway in the gray dawn. The signs of America producing!

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"There is no more patriotic duty before us as a people than to keep the Navy adequate to the needs of this country's position."—THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

OUR PRIORITY LIST

1. Legislative assurance, now, that our land, sea, and air forces will be maintained at such strengths as may be determined by the War Department General Staff and the General Board of the Navy to be necessary to guard the nation and its interests against any enemy or combination of enemies.
2. Upward revision of pay schedules for commissioned, warrant and enlisted personnel, active and retired; all temporarily promoted officers to receive pay of grade in which serving.
3. A long range study by the General Board of the Navy to the end that an equitable and just system of promotion for the line and staff of the Navy and Marine Corps be enacted into law.
4. Revision of pension laws to assure service widows a living income.
5. Compensation for service personnel who use privately owned automobiles on government business.

IT was just a year ago that the German juggernaut of men, machines and planes began to crash through the Low Countries and France, and it was just a year ago that President Roosevelt read to Congress the Message calling for arms "to make our defense invulnerable, our security absolute." Since that time our attitude toward the war has advanced from neutrality to total aid to Britain, and from the acquisition of means for the protection of the Western Hemisphere to total aid for Britain and China. Appropriated, authorized or estimated has been the gigantic sum of \$44 billions, including \$7 billions for the Democracies under the Lend-Lease law. Enacted also were the laws calling the National Guard into Federal Service and the enrollment of men into Selective Service. These various measures have permitted the development of a National Army, which in June will have a strength of 1,418,000 men, the start of a Two Ocean Navy with a personnel by 1945 of 33,500 officers and 461,000 men, expansion of the Coast Guard, whose sea going cutters have been coordinated with the Navy, and the inauguration of a program of merchant shipbuilding, which will reach an annual output of 4,000,000 tons during and after next year. In spite of the creaks and groanings of strikes, industry has begun to buckle down to the task of producing armament sufficient for our own needs and those of Britain and China. In its broad, general outlines, the picture is pleasing, and Americans are pointing to it with pride. But when it is closely inspected, we see the glaring lack of training for officers and men in the modern art of war, and the more glaring lack of guns of all types and their ammunition, of tanks, of military planes, of ships. Above all, we note the failure of the American people to realize the peril which involves their country and its vital interests. If such realization could be brought home to them, there is no doubt that their great energy and mechanical ability more quickly would provide the equipment we must have for proper defense. Fortunately we have had a year to get as far as we have, fortunately we have in the High Commands of the Army and Navy, able and experienced officers, who are applying the lessons of the war to the carefully worked out plans their predecessors devised. Had these officers had their way, the Nation today would have been prepared. While still struggling against political controls, still they are making progress in the development of Services that will truly guard the Nation. Given a little more time, General Marshall and Admiral Stark will be able to assure the people that their defense truly is invulnerable, their security truly absolute.

GRADUATION this week of 583 Naval Reserve Midshipmen at the Naval Academy is of particular moment, for the class is the first to complete the course at the institution which produces the Navy's Regular officers. No better proof of the heartiness with which the Regular Navy is receiving the Reservist into its ranks could be afforded than this throwing open of the facilities of the Academy to this large class—numbering 694 at the beginning of the course. "There were those who saw difficulties and complications in training together Regular Midshipmen and Reserve Midshipmen," Rear Adm. Russell Willson, academy superintendent, told the Reserves. "These difficulties did not materialize." The spirit thus demonstrated is vital to the success of the expansion program, for by 1945, as Admiral Nimitz told Congress, 45 per cent of all line officers will be Reservists. With the percentage of Regulars and Reserves nearly equal, there must be maintained that high morale which efficient operation demands. Reservists appreciate that the Regulars have devoted their lives to attainment of proficiency in an exacting profession.

In the forthcoming fiscal year the Navy plans to train an additional 4,900 Reserve Midshipmen. Permanent careers are certain to be opened to many of these citizen officers through amendment of legislation to permit a certain number to be selected each year for commissions in the Regular Navy. As these new Reserve Ensigns enter on their duties with the Fleet, the ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL which has witnessed graduations from 1863, bids them welcome. It is certain these patriotic young men will preserve intact the traditions which have made the United States Navy the greatest in the World.

Service Humor

Cadre?

Ft. Benning, Ga.—Here's an addition to the hundreds of stories that have been told about guard duty.

A blitzman with the Second Armored ("Hell on Wheels") Division was being instructed.

"At night," said the non-com, "challenge all persons on or near your post and say, 'Advance to be recognized.' Understand?"

The private nodded. "Now," said the non-com, pleased by his progress, "try it on me." He stepped back a few paces, turned and started briskly toward his student.

"Stop!" shouted the private. "Advance to be organized!"

—Press Release.

Indefinite Definitions

To protect the North American Indians, the Government has put them in reservations.

In the West the farming is mostly done by irritating the land.

A Socialist is a man who goes to parties all the time.

A myth is a female moth.

A brunette is a young bear.

Immortality is running away with another man's wife.

A blizzard is the inside of a fowl.

An optimist is a man who looks after your eyes; a pessimist looks after your feet.

Edison was the inventor of the indecent lamp.

—The Leatherneck.

See Who's Boss

"Would you marry a man who would try to use matrimony to avoid military service?"

"Sure, I would," replied the girl with thin hard lips. "That's the kind of a man you could soon teach to make up beds and wash dishes."

—Exchange.

To The Point

Sergeant Instructor—"Now when you troopers are on reconnaissance don't be like Columbus! When he started out he didn't know where he was going; when he got there, he didn't know where he was at; and when he got home, he didn't know where he had been. Savvy?"

—Cavalry Journal.

Life of Reilly

Captain—"Did you enjoy your leave, lieutenant?"

Paymaster—"Yes, but there's nothing like the feeling of a good desk under your feet again."

—Bamboo Breeze.

From "HSK/JECD" comes the completed lines to the 3 May jungle contributed by "MMK":

There once was a trainee named Brier,
Who was foolish enough to fire,
A volley of shouts,
At the kitcheneer's pots,
Now his goose is in the frier.

For completion on 31 May we offer this limerick by "IA":

The general ordered his men to charge,
Into the enemy's machine gun barrage,
He said "On this practice range,
There'll be a definite change,

ASK THE JOURNAL

SEND your queries to the ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL QUESTION EDITOR and an answer will be given in this column as soon as possible after receipt.

E. J. B.—Until the pending warrant officer bill becomes law, the War Department is not definitely committing itself on the manner in which it will set up eligible lists, make appointments, and the like. However, it has been stated that enlisted men who are serving as Reserve officers at the time an examination is given will be offered an opportunity to qualify.

A. C. W.—Regulations covering the formation and conduct of guards are contained in Field Manual 26-5, Interior Guard Duty, which may be obtained from the Superintendent of Documents, Government Printing Office, Washington, D. C. Price is ten cents.

W. H. S.—Brig. Gen. Simon B. Buckner, Jr., commander of the Alaska Defense Force is the Col. Simon B. Buckner Jr., (Inf.), GSC, who was recently chief of staff of the 6th Division.

L. P. L.—There are at present about 100 vacancies for master sergeant, Medical and Dental; 250 vacancies for technical sergeant, and enough vacancies for staff sergeant to absorb all the successful applicants in the 10-15 March examination. Results of the examination will be made public about 1 June.

In the Journal

10 Years Ago

General Pershing will some day be ranked with Washington as a military leader, Brig. Gen. Edward Martin, commanding the 55th Brigade, Pennsylvania National Guard, predicted in an address on "The Meuse-Argonne Offensive" at Harrisburg, Pa.

20 Years Ago

Capt. George C. Day, USN, has been named director of submarines in the Office of Naval Operations succeeding Capt. George W. Williams who has been assigned to command the New Mexico, flagship of the Pacific Fleet.

30 Years Ago

Henry L. Stimson has just been appointed Secretary of War to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of J. M. Dickinson. Mr. Stimson served in Squadron A, New York National Guard, for nearly nine years.

50 Years Ago

The Navy Department plans to eliminate the practice of equipping twin-screw steam cruisers with a moderate spread of canvas as an auxiliary power source, it having been decided that sail power on steam war vessels is a useless encumbrance.

75 Years Ago

The monitor ship Miantonomoh is to be sent to England under the command of Captain Fox to determine the ability of ironclad war vessels to make a trans-oceanic cruise.

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GENERAL OFFICERS

Maj. Gen. Walter Krueger from Brownwood, Tex., 16 May, to command, Third Army, San Antonio, Tex., with rank of Lt. Col.
Maj. Gen. James E. Chaney, from Mitchell Field, N. Y., 15 May, to off. C of S, Wash., D. C.
Maj. Gen. George V. Strong, prior orders amended: from Omaha, 16 May.
Brig. Gen. Frederick E. Uhl, prior orders amended: to command, 7th Corps Area, Omaha, Neb., upon departure Maj. Gen. George V. Strong.
Brig. Gen. Wallace C. Philoon, Panama Canal Dept., to Acting C. of S., Caribbean Defense Comm., that sta.

GENERAL STAFF CORPS

GENERAL GEORGE C. MARSHALL, C. of S.
Lt. Col. William C. Crane (FA), from Wash., D. C., to C. of S. hq., 1st Army Corps, Columbia, S. C.
Lt. Col. William M. Goodman (CAC), from Wash., D. C., 30 June, to AA Trng. Center, Camp Stewart, Ga.
Lt. Col. Charles L. Boite (Inf.), from Jacksonville, Fla., to off. C. of S., Wash., D. C.
Lt. Col. Archelaus L. Hamblen (Inf.), from Chicago, Ill., 15 June, to off. C. of S., Wash., D. C.
Lt. Col. Hamilton E. Maguire (FA), Wash., D. C., to duty with GSC, that sta.
Lt. Col. Thoburn K. Brown (Cav.), Ft. Bliss, Tex., det. with GSC, 1st Cav. Div., that sta.

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT

MAJ. GEN. E. S. ADAMS, AG
Col. Clarence A. Mitchell, prior orders amended: from Atlanta, Ga., to hq., 9th Corps Area, Presidio of San Fran., Calif.
Lt. Col. Victor V. Taylor, from Puerto Rican Dept., to hq., I Army Corps, Columbia, S. C.
Lt. Col. Iverson B. Summers, from Governor's Island, N. Y., to hq., 8th Corps Area, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.
Maj. Noah D. Allison, Camp Bowie, Tex., det. with GSC, 36th Div., that sta.
Capt. Floyd Briner, from Panama Canal Dept., to hq., 3d Corps Area, Baltimore, Md.
1st Lt. Harold F. Bishop, from Camp Stewart, Ga., to Philippine Dept. Sail San Fran., 5 June.
2nd Lt. Melvan A. Beesinger (FA), from Madison Bks., N. Y., to off. AG, Wash., D. C.

INSPECTOR GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT

MAJ. GEN. VIRGIL L. PETERSON, IG
Lt. Col. William C. Christy (Cav.), Panama Canal Dept., to Acting C. of S., that sta.
Lt. Col. Tom S. Brand (Inf.), from Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., 15 June, to hq., Third Army, San Antonio, Tex.
Lt. Col. John W. Nicholson (Inf.), from Chicago, Ill., 1 June, to hq., Second Army, Memphis, Tenn.

JUDGE ADVOCATE GENERAL'S DEPT.

MAJ. GEN. ALLEN W. GULLION, JAG
Maj. Edward H. Young, from West Point, N. Y., 25 May, to off. JAG, Wash., D. C.
Maj. Joseph V. de P. Dillon, from West Point, N. Y., 25 May, to off. JAG, Wash., D. C.
Capt. Laurence S. Carlson, prior orders amended: from McChord Fld., Wash., D. C., 21 June.
Capt. William D. Partlow, Jr., from Atlanta, Ga., 15 June, to off. JAG, Wash., D. C.
Capt. Herford T. Fitch, from Ft. Lewis, Wash., 1 June, to off. JAG, Wash., D. C.

QUARTERMASTER CORPS

MAJ. GEN. EDMUND B. GREGORY, QMG
Col. Robert C. Brady, prior orders amended: from Panama Canal Dept., to QM Depot, Phila., Pa.
Col. Rigby D. Valliant, from Brooklyn, N. Y., to Jersey City, N. J.
Lt. Col. Ralph H. Woolsey, from Ft. Sheridan, Ill., to 5th CASC, Ft. Thomas, Ky.
Lt. Col. Lewis B. Douglas, from Brooklyn, N. Y., to Jersey City, N. J.
Lt. Col. Albert J. Bain (CE), from Chicago, Ill., to asst. to const. QM, Ord. Depot, Anniston, Ala.
Lt. Col. Clough F. Gee, Wash., D. C., to off. QMG, Wash., D. C.
Lt. Col. Walter A. Pashley, from Wash., D. C., 5 June, to instr., Command and GS Sch., Ft. Leavenworth, Kans.
Lt. Col. Hans Ottens, Brooklyn, N. Y., to Supr. Army Transport Serv., that sta.
Lt. Col. Garnett H. Wilson (Cav.), Presidio

of Monterey, Calif., det. with GSC, that sta.
Lt. Col. Wallace M. Allison, from Ft. Leavenworth, Kans., 20 May, to const. QM Puerto Rican Dept., fly from N. Y.
Lt. Col. Clare W. Woodward, from Atlanta, Ga., to QM Depot, Charlotte, N. C.
Maj. Joseph G. Conley, Camp Shelby, Miss., det. with GSC, 38th Div., that sta.
Maj. Herbert D. Gish, Camp Joseph T. Robinson, Ark., det. with GSC, 35th Div., that sta.
Maj. Edward L. Littleton (CAC), Atlanta, Ga., to 4th CASC, Camp Wheeler, Ga.
Maj. Roy C. Gregory (CE), from Baltimore, Md., to const. QM, Aberdeen Prvg. Grnd., Md.
Maj. Joseph B. Jiskra, from Chicago, Ill., 1 June, to faculty, QM Sch., Phila., Pa.
Maj. Harry E. Hagan, from Camp Wheeler, Ga., to Lawson Gen. Hosp., Atlanta, Ga.
Capt. Terrance R. J. Hickey, from Ft. Mason, Calif., to asst. const. QM, Chicago, Ill.
Capt. Kenneth D. Ward, from Camp Grant, Ill., to Puerto Rican Dept. Sail N. Y., 18 June.
Following Capt. sta. ind., to 1st CASC, that sta.; John W. Chandler (Inf.), Ft. Preble, Me., Franklin C. Johnson (FA) Ft. Preble, Me., Harry W. Prescott (Inf.) Ft. H. G. Wright, N. Y.
Capt. Victor S. Phaneuf (CE), from Ft. Ethan Allen, Vt., 23 May, to 1st CASC, Westover Fld., Mass.
Capt. Wallace W. MacDonald (FA), prior orders revoked.
Capt. John R. Richards, jr. (CAC), prior orders amended: to CA Unit Trng. Center, Camp Davis, N. C.
Capt. John L. Neblett (FA), from Hot Springs, Ark., to const. QM, Camp Joseph T. Robinson, Ark.
Capt. William P. Leutzel, from Selfridge Fld., Mich., to Philippine Dept., sail San Fran., 5 June.
Capt. Hobart M. Brock, from Independence, Mo., effective on arrival of Capt. Lynn C. Barnes, to asst. to const. QM, Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo.
Capt. Theron W. Benn (FA), from Vancouver Bks., Wash., to const. QM, Medford, Ore.
Following Capt. sta. ind., from Baltimore, Md., to Edgewood Arsenal, Md.: Archie W. Legro, George A. Melding.
Capt. Lynn C. Barnes, from Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo., to const. QM, Lake City Ord. Plant, Independence, Mo.
Capt. Theodore F. Watts (FA), from Baltimore, Md., to asst. to const. QM, Aberdeen Prvg. Grnd., Md.
Capt. Charles G. Calloway, prior orders amended: from Ft. Lewis, Wash., 1 June.
Capt. Charles W. Secord (Inf.), from Camp Roberts, Calif., to const. QM, Lompoc, Calif.
Capt. Lee H. Rosback, from Wash., D. C., to asst. to const. QM, Kankakee Ord. Works, Joliet, Ill.
Following off. from Atlanta, Ga., to QM Depot, Charlotte, N. C.: Capt. Glen Steward, 1st Lt. Hugh O. Clark, 1st Lt. Lewis S. Jeter.
Capt. Laurie F. Hess, from Wash., D. C., to asst. to const. QM, 3d Zone, Baltimore, Md.
Capt. Phillip J. O'Mahoney, from Camp Forrest, Tenn., to hq., 6th Corps Area, Chicago, Ill.
Capt. William P. Beckham (SC), from Pulaski, Va., to asst. to const. QM, 3d Zone, Baltimore, Md.
Capt. Louis Barteloni, from Ft. Moultrie, S. C., 14 June, to asst. to super., Army Trans. Serv. Port of Embarkation, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Capt. Charles L. Redman, jr., from Ft. Jackson, S. C., to instr., QM Sch., Phila., Pa.
1st Lt. Howard D. Nottingham, Wash., D. C., to const. QM, that sta.
1st Lt. George W. Noe, from Ft. Riley, Kans., to const. QM, Ft. Smith, Ark.
Following 1st Lts., from sta. ind., to sta. ind.: Homer H. Harris, jr. (Inf.), from New Orleans, La., to Centerville, Miss.; Richard W. Jones, jr., from Chamblce, Ga., to Ozark, Ala.
1st Lt. William G. Lyles, from Ft. Jackson, S. C., to const. QM, Triangular Div. Camp, Augusta, Ga.
1st Lt. Edward L. Heller, from Columbus, O., to off. QMG, Wash., D. C.
1st Lt. Ovel M. Haney, Boston, Mass., to asst. to const. QM, Harbor Defenses of Boston, Mass.
1st Lt. Edward H. Kersting, from Camp Shelby, Miss., to const. QM, Crestview, Fla.
1st Lt. Mark C. Fox (FA), from Ft. Belvoir, Va., to const. QM, Blackstone, Va.
1st Lt. Harry F. Broman, from Seattle, Wash., to AC Basic Flying Sch., Taft, Calif.
1st Lt. Joseph M. McGough, Ft. Des Moines, Ia., to const. QM, that sta., in add. to other duties.
1st Lt. Ernest Peck, prior orders revoked.
1st Lt. Byron G. Kollenborn, from Baltimore, Md., to asst. to const. QM, Aberdeen Prvg. Grnd., Md.
1st Lt. Walter P. Blum, Camp Joseph T. Robinson, Ark., effective on arrival of Capt. George L. Neblett (FA), to asst. to const. QM, that sta.
1st Lt. William F. Ham (FA), from Ft. Benning, Ga., 9 June, to 8th CASC, Camp Bowie, Tex.

Following 1st Lts., sta. ind., to 1st CASC, (Please Turn to Next Page)

NAVY ORDERS

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Admiral Harold R. Stark, USN

8 May 1941

Capt. Robert H. English, det. Nav. Oper., Navy Dept., abt. 1 June; to CO, USS Helena.
Capt. Norman C. Gillette, det. Prof. Nav. Science & Tactics, Northwestern Univ., Evanston, Ill., abt. 18 June; to Instn., Nav. War College, Newport, R. I.
Capt. Henry M. Jensen, det. CO, Subm. Base, New London, Conn., abt. 24 May; to 3rd Nav. Dist.
Capt. Frank H. Kelley, det. Prof. Nav. Science & Tactics, Marquette Univ., Milwaukee, Wisc., abt. 12 June; to Instn., Nav. War College, Newport, R. I.
Comdr. Samuel B. Brewer, det. Nav. Torp. Sta., Newport, R. I.; to Comdr., Dest. Div. 8.
Comdr. Ralph E. Jennings, det. USS Yorktown; to Nav. Oper., Navy Dept.
Comdr. William A. Sullivan, des. ors. 6 Mar. mod. To Nav. Oper., Navy Dept., instead Bu. Ships, Navy Dept.
Lt. Comdr. James E. Craig, det. CO, USS Conyngham; to USS Pennsylvania.
Lt. Comdr. Richard H. Cruzen, det. CO, USS Bear, 2 June; to Instn., Nav. War College, Newport, R. I.
Lt. Comdr. Kenneth P. Hartman, des. ors. 13 Mar. mod. To Nav. Oper., Navy Dept., instead Bu. Ships, Navy Dept.
Lt. Comdr. Peter J. Nelmo, det. USS Bear; to CO, USS Bear.
Lt. Harold S. Harnly, det. USS Idaho abt. 7 Apr.; to Nav. Prvg. Ground, Dahlgren, Va.
Lt. Eugene L. Lugibihl, det. USS Downes in June or July; to office, Supvr. S/B, New York S/B Corp., Camden, N. J.
Lt. Warren B. Sampson, det. USS Chester abt. 15 Apr.; to Subm. Base, New London, Conn.
Lt. Levering Smith, det. Bu. Ord., Navy Dept., abt. 31 May; to Asiatic Flt.
Lt. Norman E. Smith, det. Nav. Trng. Sta., Great Lakes, Ill., abt. 2 June; to Asiatic Flt.
Lt. Carl F. Stillman, det. USS Drayton; to Bu. Ord., Navy Dept.
Lt. Thomas G. Warfield, det. U. S. Nav. Acad., Annapolis, Md., abt. 5 July; to Asiatic Flt.
Lt. (jg) William E. Galliard, det. USS Wasp abt. 1 June; to NAS, Pensacola, Fla.
Ens. Monroe Kelly, jr., det. USS Gridley abt. 22 Mar.; to USS Lang.
Ens. William K. Yarnall, det. USS Southard abt. 20 May; to USS Oklahoma.
Comdr. Charles E. Morse, (MC), ors. 9 Apr. to N. Yd., Portsmouth, N. H., revoked. Con't. duty, Navy Hosp., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Lt. Cecil L. Andrews, (MC), det. Nav. Hosp., San Diego, Calif., 2 June; to Nav. Hosp., Wash., D. C.
Lt. (jg) Karl J. Palmberg, (MC), ors. 2 Apr. to Asiatic Flt. mod. To Subm. Base, New London, Conn.
Lt. Comdr. Thomas W. Baker, (SC), det. Rec. Ship, San Francisco, Calif., in June; to USS Astoria.
Lt. Comdr. Harvey E. Wathen, (SC), det. USS Salinas, 31 May; to Nav. Ammun. Depot, Hawthorne, Nev.
Lt. (jg) Bernhard H. Bieri, jr., (SC), det. Dest. Div. 10 31 Mar.; to Nav. Supply Depot, San Diego, Calif.
Lt. (jg) Ross G. Linson, (SC), det. USS Erie, 31 Mar.; to Nav. Research Lab., Anacostia, D. C.
Lt. (jg) Martin Miller, (SC), det. USS Argonne 31 Mar.; to USS Neches.
Lt. (jg) Charles Stein, jr., (SC), det. Dest. Div. 9, 31 Mar.; to N. Yd., Puget Sound, Wash.
Ens. Crandall T. Neffzger, (SC), det. Dest. Div. 6 31 Mar.; to NAS, Seattle, Wash.
Ens. Franklin W. Ott, (SC), det. Dest. Div. 60 31 Mar.; to NAS, Pensacola, Fla.
Ens. William G. Tonner, jr., (SC), det. Dest. Div. 67 31 Mar.; to N. Yd., Portsmouth, N. H.
Ens. Edwin W. Winnett, (SC), det. Mine Div. 4 31 Mar.; to NAS, Alameda, Calif.
Lt. Paul G. Linaweaver, (ChC), det. Nav. Sta., Guam; to NAS, Alameda, Calif.
Ch. Bosn. Francis E. Dowd, det. USS Lgala abt. 1 Apr.; to N. Yd., Portsmouth, Va.
Ch. Elec. Wilbur J. Meade, det. USS Rigel abt. 1 Apr.; to Subm. Base, Coco Solo, C. Z.
Mach. Walter E. Burrill, to USS New York.
Mach. Hubert A. Daigle, det. USS Whip-poorwill abt. 31 Mar.; to USS New Mexico.
Mach. Russell C. Dickinson, to USS Savannah.
Gun. Ernest O. Erickson, det. USS Wichita in Mar.; to 5th Nav. Dist.
Lt. Comdr. Howard W. Neely, D-V(G), des. ors. 22 Oct. to 15th Nav. Dist. mod. To Bu. Ord., Navy Dept.
Lt. Adolph E. Salsburg, SC-V(S), det.

Navy Department Marine Corps

Navy and Marine Corps Orders Discontinued

The Navy Department announced this week that the daily summary of changes of duties of officers of the U. S. Navy and U. S. Marine Corps would be discontinued commencing 13 May.

Consequently the Navy orders issued on 8 and 9 May only are printed this week, and no Marine orders will appear.

From time to time and in certain specific cases, notice of change of duty of officers in the Navy and Marine Corps will be released, the Navy said.

Cancellation of this daily notice is deemed essential in the interests of security of the Navy and Marine Corps, Navy Spokesmen said.

Instn., Supply Corps Nav. Res. Off. Sch., Wash., D. C., in May; to conn. est., Nav. Supply Depot, Bayonne, N. J., and duty that depot when est.

Lt. (jg) Walter G. Bacon, SC-V(S), det. Instn., Supply Corps Nav. Res. Off. Sch., Wash., D. C., in May; to Bu. S & A, Navy Dept.
Lt. (jg) Donald M. Kerr, D-O, det. USS YP-40 abt. 15 May; to USS PC-451.

Lt. (jg) John P. Martin, MC-V(G), det. Instn., NAS, Pensacola, Fla. abt. 17 May; to NAS, Miami, Fla.

Lt. (jg) Herman Strock, SC-V(S), det. Rec. Ship, New York, N. Y.; to Nav. Trng. Sta., Norfolk, Va.

Ens. Richard K. Ayers, SC-V(G), det. Instn., Supply Corps Nav. Res. Off. Sch., Wash., D. C., in May; to Staff, Navy Supply Corps Sch., Harvard Univ., Cambridge, Mass.

Ens. Daniel H. Burnham, jr., SC-V(S) det. Instn., Supply Corps Nav. Res. Off. Sch., Wash., D. C., in May; to Staff, Navy Supply Corps Sch., Harvard Univ., Cambridge, Mass.

Ens. Henry G. Doyle, jr., D-V(G), det. USS Erickson; to Nav. Oper., Navy Dept.

Ens. Frederick Phillips, jr., SC-V(S), det. Instn., Supply Corps Nav. Res. Off. Sch., Wash., D. C., in May; to Nav. Supply Depot, Norfolk, Va.

Ens. Wallace H. Savage, SC-V(G), det. Instn., Supply Corps Nav. Res. Off. School, Wash., D. C., in May; to Staff, Navy Supply Corps Sch., Harvard Univ., Cambridge, Mass.

The following officers, CEC-V(S), USNR, have been ordered to active duty at the stations indicated:

Lt. Comdr. Gale H. Carrithers, to Naval Ammunition Depot, Burns City, Ind.
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that sta.: Harold B. Foshier, (CAC) Camp Edwards, Mass.; Norman J. Houston, Camp Langdon, N. Hamp.; Edward J. Morris, (CE) Ft. Preble, Me.; Marshall A. Patch, (Inf.) Camp Edwards, Mass.; Charles M. Pickett, jr., (CE) Ft. Devens, Mass.; Franklin W. Squires, Camp Edwards, Mass.; Mike Smith, (CAC) Ft. Devens, Mass.; William T. Walters, Ft. H. G. Wright, N. Y.; Norman K. White, (CE) Camp Langdon, N. Hamp.

2nd Lt. Herman Schramm, prior orders amended: from Phila., Pa., 1 July.

2nd Lt. William C. Whitman, from Ft.

Myer, Va., 9 June, to 8th CASC, Camp Wolters, Tex.

Following 2nd Lts., sta. ind., to 1st CASC, that sta.: George M. Burgett, (CE) Ft. Ethan Allen, Vt.; Harrison P. Reed, Ft. Devens, Mass.

2nd Lt. Raymond J. Erffe, from Gunter Fld., Ala., 15 May, to AC Basic Flying Sch., Macon, Ga.

2nd Lt. Harold M. Hosler, from Ft. Benning, Ga., 10 June, to 4th CASC, Air Base, Charlotte, N. C.

2nd Lt. Jak Amos, from Camp Stewart, Ga., to QM Market Center, Macon, Ga.

2nd Lt. Bruce MacD. Matheson, from Brooklyn, N. Y., 14 June, to 4th CASC, Ft. Moultrie, S. C.

2nd Lt. Karl T. Rauk, from Kelly Fld., Tex., 29 May, to McChord Fld., Wash.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT
MAJ. GEN. JAMES C. MAGEE, SG

Medical Corps

Col. Chester R. Haig, from Wash., D. C., 26 May, to 1st CASC, Ft. Devens, Mass.

Col. Lanphar W. Webb, jr., from Philippine Dept., to Letterman Gen. Hosp., Presidio of San Fran., Calif.

Lt. Col. Harrison H. Fisher, MacDill Fld., Fla., to 3d Bom. Wing, that sta.

Lt. Col. James B. Anderson, from Ft. Leavenworth, Kans., to off. SG, Wash., D. C.

Lt. Col. Harry E. Hearn, from Panama Canal Dept., to Port of Embarkation, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Following off., Mitchel Fld., N. Y., to group ind., that sta.: Maj. Irwin I. Alper 2d Air Base Group; Capt. Harry M. Berliner, to 33d Pursuit Group; 1st Lt. Lucio E. Gatto, to 33d Pursuit Group; 1st Lt. Sydney Luria, to 33d Pursuit Group.

Maj. Jacob J. Spencer, MacDill Fld., Fla., to 27th Air Base Group, that sta.

Maj. Earle Standlee, from Cambridge, Mass., to Gen. Depot, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Following Majs., from sta. ind., to Hawaiian Dept., sail San Fran., 7 June: Alfred L. Westling, Ft. Snelling, Minn.; John T. Wylie, Ft. Sill, Okla.

Maj. Mack M. Green, prior orders amended: 22 May.

Maj. Hugh B. Gilmore, jr., prior orders amended: from Panama Canal, C. Z., 1 October.

Maj. Arthur B. Welsh, from Wash., D. C., to 3d CASC, Ft. Myer, Va.

Maj. Claude L. Neale, from Wash., D. C., to Panama Canal Dept., sail N. Y., 17 July.

Maj. Kenneth F. Ernst, from Hawaiian Dept., to San Fran. Port of Embarkation, Ft. Mason, Calif.

Capt. John Q. A. Daniels, McChord Fld., Wash., D. C., to 12th Bom. Grp., that sta.

Following Capts., March Fld., Calif., to unit ind., that sta.: Bernard Lowenstein, to 4th Air Base Grp.; Royal C. Payne, to 38th Recon. Sq.; Richard K. Pierce, to 51st Pursuit Grp.

Following Capts., Savannah, Ga., to group ind., that sta.: Grant R. Elliott, to 17th Bom. Wing; William A. Marrocco, to 10th Recon. Sq.

Capt. Oscar S. Reeder, from Ft. Ord, Calif., 8 June, to hq., 3d Army Corps, Presidio of Monterey, Calif.

Following Capts., Selfridge Fld., Mich., to 52d Pursuit Group, that sta.: Emil F. Ersay, Irwin R. Goldsmith.

Capt. Robert J. Hansell, prior orders revoked.

Capt. Paul S. Woodall, Orlando, Fla., to 25th Air Base Group, that sta.

Capt. Robert L. Hurlinghorst, from Ft. Mason, Calif., to Letterman Genl. Hosp., Presidio of San Fran., Calif.

Capt. Carlton W. Winsor, from Puerto Rican Dept., to Port of Embarkation, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Following Capts., from sta. ind., to Hawaiian Dept., sail San Fran., 7 June: William F. Castellow, Camp Forrest, Tenn.; Edward P. Danforth, Ft. Dix, N. J.; Julian V. Flaig, Ft. Bragg, N. C.; Henry Frankel, Ft. Devens, Mass.; Thomas B. Haigley, Ft. George G. Meade, Md.; Seymour J. Kranson, Ft. Bliss, Tex.; Charles M. Pohl, Edgewood Arsenal, Md.

Capt. William R. Thompson, jr., from Puerto Rican Dept., to Army Med. Center, Wash., D. C.

Capt. Ezio J. Bernasconi, from Providence, R. I., to Puerto Rican Dept. Sail N. Y., 18 June.

Following Capts., from sta. ind., to Hawaiian Dept., sail San Fran., 7 June: Joseph B. Pomerance, Camp Livingston, La.; Melville V. Popelar, Ft. Sill, Okla.

Capt. John D. Morley, from Panama Canal Dept., to 21st Bom. Wing, Air Base, New Orleans, La.

Following Capts., from sta. ind., 1 June, to sta. ind.: Louis H. Jobe, jr., Aberdeen Prvg. Grnd., Md., to 212th Gen. Hosp., Camp Claiborne, La.; Laurence A. Potter, Ft. Huachuca, Ariz., to 7th Med. Bn., Ft. Ord, Calif.; Francis W. Regnier, Ft. Monroe, Va., to 233d Gen. Hosp., Camp Lee, Va.; James F. Reilly, Ft. Benj. Harrison, Ind., to 61st Surg. Hosp., Ft. George G. Meade, Md.; John M. Salyer, Ft. D. A. Russell, Tex., to 53d Evacuation Hosp., Camp San Luis Obispo, Calif.; Josephus B. Talley, jr., Ft. George Wright, Wash., to 23d Evacuation Hosp., Ft. Custer, Mich.; Russell B. Watson, Presidio of San Fran., Calif., to 214th Gen. Hosp., Camp Joseph T. Robinson, Ark.

Capt. Bloyce H. Britton, prior orders amended: to AC Advanced Flying Sch., Phoenix, Ariz.

Capt. Kenneth R. Nelson, from Wash., D. C., to Hawaiian Dept., sail N. Y., 26 June.

Following 1st Lts., Selfridge Fld., Mich., to grp. ind., that sta.: Melvin A. Cassel, to 52d Pursuit Group; Delbert C. Kelly, to 1st Pursuit Group; Philip Lerner, to 1st Pursuit Group; 1st Lt. Orrin E. Swenson, to 1st Pursuit Group.

Following 1st Lts., Savannah, Ga., to group ind., that sta.: John N. Bardonner, to 27th

Bom. Grp.; Charles A. Baumbauer, to 3d Bom. Grp.; Joseph E. Ginsberg, to 35th Air Base Grp.; Daniel Hyman, to 3d Bom. Grp.; Carl L. Mango, to 27th Bom. Grp.; Abram Sohmer, to 3d Bom. Grp.

Following 1st Lts., March Fld., Calif., to group ind., that sta.: Lawrence Braslow, to 32d Air Base Grp.; Lowell L. Emmons, to 14th Pursuit Grp.; Morris L. Steckel, to 14th Pursuit Grp.; Harold P. Tompkins, to 14th Pursuit Grp.; Bernard J. Voss, to 51st Pursuit Grp.

Following 1st Lts., McChord Fld., Wash., to unit ind., that sta.: Erwin J. Baer, to 19th Air Base Grp.; Harold S. Greentree, to 86th Recon. Sq.; Edward A. Luke, to 17th Bom. Grp.; Herbert C. Marillat, to 17th Bom. Grp.; George A. Rickles, to 12th Bom. Grp.

Following 1st Lts., MacDill Fld., Fla., to unit ind., that sta.: Woodrow B. Estes, to 14th Recon. Sq.; Frank W. Hewlett, to 29th Bom. Grp.; Gerald A. Long, to 29th Bom. Grp.; Leroy H. Oetjen, to 44th Bom. Grp.; Henry A. Schlesinger, to 44th Bom. Grp.

Following 1st Lts., Langley Fld., Va., to group ind., that sta.: Eugene E. Chiarulli, to 2d Bom. Grp.; Nathan L. Lippman, to 2d Bom. Grp.; Cyrus P. Markle, jr., to 2d Bom. Grp.; John A. Moran, to 1st Air Base Grp.; John T. Schofield, Jr., to 23d Bom. Grp.; Ramon J. Spritzler, to 22d Bom. Grp.

1st Lt. Louis E. Dickinson, jr., Ft. Douglas, Utah, to 20th Bom. Wing, that sta.

1st Lt. David S. Taksa, Tallahassee, Fla., to 53d Pursuit Grp., that sta.

Following 1st Lts., Hamilton Fld., Calif., to group ind., that sta.: William R. Brenner, to 35th Pursuit Grp.; Harry J. Dick, to 35th Pursuit Grp.; Donald L. Peterson, to 35th Pursuit Grp.; James F. Shea, to 45th Air Base Grp.

1st Lt. Maurice D. Sachs, from Presidio of San Fran., Calif., 5 June, to Ft. Leavenworth, Kans.

1st Lt. Wilson Lyday, Ft. Jackson, S. C., to 8th Med. Bn., that sta.

1st Lt. Thomas A. N. Hindman, prior orders revoked.

1st Lt. Charles H. Roadman, Randolph Fld., Tex., to Gulf Coast AC Trng. Center, that sta.

1st Lt. Roy J. Melinder, from Philippine Dept., to Letterman Gen. Hosp., Presidio of San Fran., Calif.

1st Lt. James H. Smith, from Ft. Oglethorpe, Ga., to 63d Surgical Hosp., Carlisle Bks., Pa.

1st Lt. Gerald M. Feigen, from Camp Upton, N. Y., to Hawaiian Dept., sail N. Y., 18 June.

Following 1st Lts., from sta. ind., to sta. ind.: Warren J. Barker, Ft. Sill, Okla., to 16th Med. Regt., Ft. Devens, Mass.; Walter A. Butkus, Ft. Jay, N. Y., to 215th Gen. Hosp., Ft. Custer, Mich.; James W. Humphreys, Jr., Ft. Thomas, Ky., to 37th Evacuation Hosp., Ft. McClellan, Ala.; Charles H. Talbot, Ft. Des Moines, Ia., to 74th Surg. Hosp., Ft. Francis E. Warren, Wyo.; Robert G. Thompson, Ft. Bragg, N. C., to 15th Evacuation Hosp., Ft. George G. Meade, Md.

Following 1st Lts., from sta. ind., to Hawaiian Dept., sail San Fran., 7 June: Maurice C. Archer, Ft. Hayes, O.; Edwin S. Chapman, Presidio of Monterey, Calif.; Henry H. Fineburg, Camp Shelby, Miss.; Morris I. Golda, Ft. Custer, Mich.; Lee L. Hasselbine, Ft. Oglethorpe, Ga.; Fred C. Jordan, Jr., Ft. Huachuca, Ariz.; Benjamin Jullar, Ft. Custer, Mich.; Ronald R. Kaplan, Ft. Knox, Ky.; Louis Kreindler, Ft. Jackson, S. C.; Raleigh H. Lackay, Ft. Bragg, N. C.; Robin Lynn Camp Shelby, Miss.; Louis J. Ring, Camp Shelby, Miss.; James D. Spencer, Ft. Bragg, N. C.; Mahlon S. Sharp, Ft. Custer, Mich.; Harlan H. Taylor, Camp Livingston, La.; Max S. Thomas, Ft. Jackson, S. C.

1st Lt. Henry A. Pierce, from Ft. Dix, N. J., to Hawaiian Dept., sail San Fran., 7 June.

1st Lt. William Perlman, from Camp Davis, N. C., to Philippine Dept., sail San Fran., 17 July.

1st Lt. Percy H. Sutley, from Langley Fld., Va., to Panama Canal Dept., sail N. Y., 17 July.

1st Lt. Raymond A. Lawa, Ft. Riley, Kans., to 217th Gen. Hosp., that sta.

Following 1st Lts., from sta. ind., 1 June, to sta. ind.: Thomas T. Beeler, jr., Ft. Sill, Okla., to 54th Evac. Hosp., Camp Shelby, Miss.; Hubert L. Binkley, Ft. Francis E. Warren, Wyo., to 41st Evac. Hosp., Ft. Bragg, N. C.; William H. Curry, Ft. McIntosh, Tex., to 36th Evac. Hosp., Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.; Richard S. Fraser, Ft. Worden, Wash., to 42d Evac. Hosp., Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo.; John N. Furst, Ft. Snelling, Minn., to 210th Gen. Hosp., Ft. Dix, N. J.; John Gardiner, Ft. Myer, Va., to 19th Evac. Hosp., Ft. Dix, N. J.; John R. Grunwell, jr., Ft. Knox, Ky., to 218th Gen. Hosp., Ft. Belvoir, Va.; Spencer A. O'Brien, Ft. Jackson, S. C., to 43d Evac. Hosp., Camp Claiborne, La.; Vernon D. Peltit, Ft. Screven, Ga., to 222d Gen. Hosp., Ft. Eustis, Va.

Following off., sta. ind., to camp dental surgeon, CASC, ind., that sta.: Col. Harry C. Peavey, Ft. Devens, Mass.; Lt. Col. Thomas C. Daniels, Ft. Dix, N. J.; Lt. Col. Samuel J. Rohde, Pine Camp, N. Y.; Lt. Col. Daniel Bratton, Ft. George G. Meade, Md.; Lt. Col. Elmer H. Nickles, Ft. Eustis, Va.; Maj. Walter E. Chase, Ft. Belvoir, Va.; Col. Charles D.

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Denton, Ft. Benning, Ga.; Lt. Col. William J. Adlington, Camp Croft, S. C.; Lt. Col. Thomas J. Cassidy, Ft. McClellan, Ala.; Lt. Col. Thomas P. Davis, Ft. Bragg, N. C.; Lt. Col. Thomas L. Smith, Camp Shelby, Miss.; Lt. Col. Charles M. Taylor, Camp Forrest, Tenn.; Lt. Col. Lynn H. Tingay, Camp Blanton, Fla.; Maj. James S. Cathro, Camp Stewart, Ga.; Lt. Col. Walter D. Love, Ft. Knox, Ky.; Lt. Col. Daniel S. Lockwood, Camp Joseph T. Robinson, Ark.; Lt. Col. William H. Siefert, Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo.; Lt. Col. Warren C. Caldwell, Camp Wothers, Tex.; Lt. Col. Howard A. Hale, Ft. Bliss, Tex.; Lt. Col. Frederick B. Wunderlich, Ft. Sill, Okla.; Col. Raymond W. Pearson, Ft. Ord, Calif.; Lt. Col. Donald W. Forbes, Ft. Lewis, Wash.; Lt. Col. Leroy P. Hartley, Camp Roberts, Calif.; Lt. Col. Marh H. Welch, Camp Haan, Calif.; Oliver J. Christiansen, Camp Barkeley, Tex.; William F. Wiecek, Camp San Luis Obispo, Calif.

Maj. Ernest G. Nystrom, from Presidio of San Fran., Calif., 23 May, to 9th CASC, Ft. Ord, Calif.

Capt. Arthur L. Hyde, MacDill Fld., Fla., to 29th Bom. Grp., that sta.

Capt. William A. Ferguson, from Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., 5 June, to Air Base, Albuquerque, N. Mex.

1st Lt. John W. Askew, Jr., MacDill Fld., Fla., to 44th Bom. Grp., that sta.

1st Lt. Warren E. Snogren, Selfridge Fld., Mich., to 52d Pursuit Grp., that sta.

1st Lt. Leo M. Lightner, March Fld., Calif., to 14th Pursuit Grp., that sta.

Following 1st Lts., McChord Fld., Wash., to groups ind., that sta.: George S. McClench, to 17th Bom. Grp.; Willard F. Weeks, Jr., to 12th Bom. Grp.

Following 1st Lts., Langley Fld., Va., to Bom. Grp., ind., that sta.: William R. Hutchinson, Jr., to 2d; William R. T. Oakes, to 22d.

1st Lt. William H. Traynham, Jr., Tallahassee, Fla., to 53d Pursuit Grp., that sta.

1st Lt. Everett H. Watkins, Hamilton Fld., Calif., to 35th Pursuit Grp., that sta.

Medical Administrative Corps
1st Lt. David Kurtz, from Ft. Williams, Me., to Puerto Rican Dept., sail N. Y., 18 June.

Army Nurse Corps
2nd Lt. Opal H. Bradley, from Wash., D. C., to Rt. Bragg, N. C.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT
MAJ. GEN. HOWARD K. LOUGHRY, C. of F. Lt. Col. Leighton N. Smith, prior orders revoked; from Wash., D. C., to Hawaiian Dept. Sail San Fran., 16 July.

Maj. John H. Wyman, from March Fld., Calif., to 2d Air Force, Ft. George Wright, Wash.

Capt. Robert R. Blannar, from Kelly Fld., Tex., to AC Advanced Flying Sch., Victoria, Tex.

Capt. Louis B. Lepp, prior orders revoked. 1st Lt. James A. Milton, from Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., to Air Base, 8th CASC, Tucson, Ariz.

1st Lt. Robert F. Pankhurst, from Toledo, O., 29 May, to inactive status.

2nd Lt. Stanley S. Hawley, from Presidio of San Fran., Calif., 14 May, to hq., Armd. Force, Ft. Knox, Ky.

CORPS OF ENGINEERS
MAJ. GEN. JULIAN L. SCHLEY, C. of E. Col. Stuart C. Godfrey, prior orders revoked.

Col. Joseph C. McHaffey, prior orders revoked.

Col. Jarvis J. Bain, from Richmond, Va., to hq., Second Army, Memphis, Tenn.

Col. Milo P. Fox, from Wilmington, Va., to hq., VII Army Corps, Birmingham, Ala.

Lt. Col. John S. Bragdon, from Providence, R. I., to Div. Eng., South Atlantic Div., Richmond, Va.

Lt. Col. John F. Conklin, from Norfolk, Va., 7 June, to I Armd. Corps, Ft. Knox, Ky.

Lt. Col. Aubrey H. Bond, from Ft. Custer, Mich., to asst. to dist. eng., Jacksonville, Fla.

Maj. Charles B. Ferris, Ft. McClellan, Ala., det. with GSC, 27th Div., that sta.

Maj. Walter L. Weinaug, Camp Bowie, Tex., det. with GSC, 36th Div., that sta.

Capt. Frederick G. Henneman, Camp Forrest, Tenn., det. with GSC, 33d Div., that sta.

Capt. William J. Ely, from Ft. Ord, Calif., to asst. to div. eng., Eastern Div., Wash., D. C.

Capt. Martin Goerl, from Ft. George G. Meade, Md., 26 May, to off. C. of E., Wash., D. C.

Following Capts., from Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo., 26 May, to off. C. of S., Wash., D. C.: Harry W. Coon, George G. Smith.

Capt. John M. Cromelin, prior orders revoked; from Ft. Belvoir, Va., 1 July, to 6th Eng. Bn., Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo.

Capt. Frederick J. Clarke, prior orders amended; from Ft. Bragg, N. C., 15 June.

Capt. Russell C. Bennett, from Galveston, Tex., to Duncan Fld., Tex.

1st Lt. Keith N. Flory, prior orders amended; 15 June.

1st Lt. John D. Ridge, from Ft. Belvoir, Va., to 62d Eng. Co., Ft. George G. Meade, Md.

1st Lt. Corradino R. Nicolazza, from Scott Fld., Ill., 19 May, to Chanute Fld., Ill.

1st Lt. Charles H. Mason, from Mitchel Fld., N. Y., to Materiel Div., Wright Fld., O.

2nd Lt. Richard F. Hauser, prior orders amended; to Ketchikan, Alaska, via liner.

2nd Lt. Winston O. Defaux, from Moffett Fld., Calif., to AC Basic Flying Sch., Bakersfield, Calif.

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT
MAJ. GEN. CHARLES M. WESSON, C. of O.

Maj. Karl D. Reyer, from New Orleans, La., 7 July, to off. C. of S., Wash., D. C.

Capt. Edward F. Gilroy, from Ft. MacArthur, Calif., to off. C. of O., Wash., D. C.

Capt. William J. Winter, prior orders further amended; to Puerto Rican Dept., sail Charleston, S. C., 26 May.

Capt. Jerry M. Gruitch, from Langley Fld., Va., 20 May, to Windsor Locks, Conn.

1st Lt. Frank M. Plump, from Ft. Francis E. Warren, Wyo., to Puerto Rican Dept. Sail N. Y., 18 June.

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1st Lt. Roland T. Freiday, prior orders amended: from Detroit, Mich., to asst. to contracting officer, representative and Army Insp. of O. Brown-Lipe-Chapin Div., General Motors Corp., Syracuse, N. Y.

Following 1st Lts., from sta. ind., 20 May, to air base at sta. ind.: William G. Cain, McChord Fld., Wash., to Everett, Wash.; Kenneth Kaufman, Ft. Douglas, Utah, to Boise, Idaho; Ayres W. Stoddard, McChord Fld., Wash., to Pendleton, Ore.

2nd Lt. Nori A. Hamilton, from Cincinnati, O., to off. C. of O., Wash., D. C.

2nd Lt. Paul E. Johnson, Jr., from Eglin Fld., Fla., to Aberdeen Proving Grnd., Md.

2nd Lt. Leonard A. Kratzer, prior orders amended: from Aberdeen Proving Grnd., Md., to Panama Canal Dept., sail N. Y., 5 June.

2nd Lt. Howard C. Mandeville, prior orders amended: to Hawaiian Dept., sail N. Y., 18 June.

2nd Lt. Edgar M. McGinnis, from Savanna, Ill., to Puerto Rican Dept., sail N. Y., 4 June.

SIGNAL CORPS

MAJ. GEN. JOSEPH O. MAUBORGNE, CSO Col. Goodwin Compton, retired 31 May, because of disability.

Maj. George L. Richon, from Indiantown Gap, Pa., 1 June, to staff and faculty, SC Sch., Ft. Monmouth, N. J.

Capt. Laurence R. Moses (CAC), Ft. Monmouth, N. J., to SC Labs., that sta.

Capt. John B. Mathews, from Ft. Monmouth, N. J., 10 June, to off. CSO, Wash., D. C.

Capt. Fred Timmerman, prior orders amended: from Ft. Worden, Wash., 24 May.

Capt. William F. Sturdy, from Ft. Monmouth, N. J., 12 June, to off. CSO, Wash., D. C.

1st Lt. Walter U. Joy, from Philippine Dept., to hq., 9th Corps Area, Presidio of San Fran., Calif.

2nd Lt. Donnan E. Basler, from Ft. Monmouth, N. J., 10 June, to off. CSO, Wash., D. C.

1st Lt. Carlton Wilby, Jr., from Ft. Dix, N. J., to 15th Sig. Serv. Bn., Ft. Monmouth, N. J.

2nd Lt. Jesse B. Boyd, from Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., to staff, SC Sch., Ft. Monmouth, N. J.

CHEMICAL WARFARE SERVICE

C. of CWS

Maj. Fred M. Reiter, Wash., D. C., to off. Asst. Sec. War, Wash., D. C.

Capt. Embert A. LeLacheur, from Edgewood Arsenal, Md., 19 May, to off. C. of CWS, Wash., D. C.

Capt. Richard R. Danek, from Hawaiian Dept., to Edgewood Arsenal, Md.

Following off. from sta. ind., 1 June, to CWS Development Lab., MIT, Cambridge, Mass.: Capt. Lionel E. Faulkner, N. Y.; Capt. Ralph G. Quilty, Boston, Mass.; 1st Lt. Harry J. McCauley, Pittsburgh, Pa.; 2nd Lt. John H. Carpenter, Edgewood Arsenal, Md.

1st Lt. Dale L. Vincent, from Edgewood Arsenal, Md., 15 May, to off. C. of CWS, Wash., D. C.

1st Lt. Leland E. Anderson, prior orders amended: Edgewood Arsenal, Md.

2nd Lt. John A. Marton, from Edgewood Arsenal, Md., to 1st Chem. Co. Serv. (Aviation) Bolling Fld., D. C.

NATIONAL GUARD BUREAU

MAJ. GEN. JOHN F. WILLIAMS, C. of NGB Lt. Col. Lacey Van Buren Murrow, AC, from Wash., D. C., 13 May, to 41st Div., Camp Murray, Ft. Lewis, Wash.

CHAPLAIN CORPS

Ch. WILLIAM R. ARNOLD, C. of Ch. Ch. (Lt. Col.) Oscar W. Reynolds, prior orders revoked: from Ft. MacArthur, Calif., 25 May, to 3d Armd. Div., Camp Polk, La.

Ch. (Lt. Col.) W. Roy Bradley, from Brooklyn, N. Y., to transport Ch., USAT "Washington", Ft. Mason, Calif.

Ch. (Maj.) Charles M. Kinard, from Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., to Barksdale Fld., La.

Ch. (Maj.) Claude R. Ingram, from Camp Jackson, S. C., to Hawaiian Dept., sail N. Y., 18 June.

Ch. (Capt.) Aubrey J. O'Reilly, from Philippine Dept., to 2d Div., Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.

Ch. (Capt.) Vincent W. Richards, from Moffett Fld., Calif., to 9th CASC, March Fld., Calif.

Ch. (1st Lt.) Foster B. Perry, from Mitchell Fld., N. Y., 1 June, to 1st CASC, Air Base, Bangor, Me.

Ch. (1st Lt.) John L. Curran, from Langley Fld., Va., to Philippine Dept. Sail San Fran., 5 June.

Ch. (1st Lt.) James L. Bowser, prior orders amended: from Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo.

Ch. (1st Lt.) Albin L. Fortney, prior orders amended: to Hawaiian Dept., sail San Fran., 16 July.

Following Ch. (1st Lts.), from sta. ind., to Puerto Rican Dept., sail Charleston, S. C., 20 June: Norbert F. Carroll, Camp Shelby, Miss.; John B. Rettigiani, Ft. Bragg, N. C.

Ch. (1st Lt.) Charles L. Lack, from Arlington Cantonment, Va., to Puerto Rican Dept., sail N. Y., 4 June.

Ch. (1st Lt.) Samuel E. Donald, from Ft. DuPont, Del., to Philippine Dept., sail San Fran., 17 July.

CAVALRY

MAJ. GEN. JOHN K. HERR, C. of Cav. Col. Aubrey Lippincott, retired from Los Angeles, Calif., 31 May, because of disability.

Lt. Col. William Van D. Ochs, from Wilmington, N. C., to 4th CASC, Camp Stewart, Ga.

Lt. Col. Ernest N. Harmon, from Ft. Knox, Ky., to off. C. of S., Wash., D. C.

Lt. Col. Charles S. Kilburn, Wash., D. C., to off. C. of S., Wash., D. C.

Lt. Col. Frederic W. Boye, Ft. Bliss, Tex., to Acting C. of S., 1st Cav. Div., that sta.

Lt. Col. James E. Slack, from Ft. Moultrie, S. C., to recruiting, Overseas Discharge and Repl. Depot, Charleston, S. C.

Maj. Glen C. McBride, Ft. Hayes, O., det. with GSC, 5th Corps Area, that sta.

Maj. Jack C. Gault, from Ft. George G. Meade, Md., 18 May, to hq., Armd. Force, Ft. Knox, Ky.

Maj. Vernon Peterson, from Moffett Fld., Calif., 30 May, to AC Basic Flying Sch., Taft, Calif.

Capt. Robert M. Mann, Ft. Hayes, O., det. with GSC, 5th Corps Area, that sta.

Capt. Russell V. Ritchey, from Selfridge Fld., Mich., to Philippine Dept. Sail San Fran., 5 June.

Capt. Frank H. Britton, from West Point, N. Y., 16 June, to 1st Armd. Div., Ft. Knox, Ky.

Capt. Adolphus K. Heyner, Ft. Hayes, O., det. with GSC, 5th Corps Area, that sta.

1st Lt. John C. F. Tillson, 3d, from Moffett Fld., Calif., to 1st Cav. Div., Ft. Bliss, Tex.

2nd Lt. Robert B. Thleme, from Stockton, Calif., 30 May, to AC Advanced Flying Sch., Phoenix, Ariz.

FIELD ARTILLERY

MAJ. GEN. ROBERT M. DANFORD, C. of FA Lt. Col. Albert C. Stanford, from Ft. Jackson, S. C., to GSC, hq., 1 Army Corps, Columbia, S. C.

Lt. Col. William R. Gruber, Camp Roberts, Calif., to 40th FA, that sta.

Lt. Col. Reese M. Howell, Ft. Bragg, N. C., to 17th FA, that sta.

Lt. Col. William R. Philp, from Ft. Lewis, Wash., 15 June, to FA Repl. Trng. Center, Camp Roberts, Calif.

Following off. from sta. ind., to off. C. of S., Wash., D. C.: Lt. Col. George P. Hays, Edgewood Arsenal, Md.; Maj. Maxwell D. Taylor, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.

Maj. Adrian H. Lindsey, Camp Joseph T. Robertson, Ark., to det. with GSC, 35th Div., that sta.

Maj. George B. McReynolds, prior orders amended: from Ft. Lewis, Wash., 1 July.

Maj. Henry E. Sanderson, Camp Roberts, Calif., to 30th FA, that sta.

Maj. Hugh P. Adams, prior orders amended: from Richmond, Ky., 5 July.

Maj. Alfred M. Gruenther, from Ft. Sill, Okla., to off. C. of S., Wash., D. C.

Maj. Roswell B. Hart, from Ft. Moultrie, S. C., to Overseas Discharge and Repl. Depot, Charleston, S. C.

Capt. Ralph C. Cooper, from Ft. Bragg, N. C., to 35th FA, Camp Blanding, Fla.

Capt. Spencer C. Subers, from Ft. Sill, Okla., 28 May, to FA Repl. Trng. Center, Ft. Bragg, N. C.

Following off., prior orders amended: to Hawaiian Dept., sail N. Y., 26 June: Harold E. Brooks, William W. Dick, Jr.

Capt. Norman E. Poinier, from Ft. Lewis, Wash., to hq., 41st Div., Camp Murray, Wash.

Capt. Richard Park, Jr., from Cambridge, Mass., to asst. military attache, Moscow, USSR.

Capt. Paul M. Davis, from Ft. Sill, Okla., to Lowry Fld., Colo.

Capt. Charles A. Piddock, from Maxwell Fld., Ala., 29 May, to New Orleans, La.

1st Lt. Richard B. Holst, from Jefferson Bks., Mo., to Panama Canal Dept. Sail N. Y., 5 June.

1st Lt. Seth H. Steele, from Ft. Bliss, Tex., 23 May, to Duncan Fld., Tex.

1st Lt. John McD. Sparks, Jr., prior orders revoked.

1st Lt. James L. Collins, Jr., from Ft. Sill, Okla., to Puerto Rican Dept. Sail Charleston, S. C., 26 May.

1st Lt. Charles R. Norberg, from Phila., Pa., 17 May, to inactive status.

2nd Lt. Adrian P. Sherman, Jr., from Ft. Riley, Kans., to Panama Canal Dept. Sail N. Y., 5 June.

2nd Lt. Andrew J. Andresen, Jr., from Moffett Fld., Calif., to AC Basic Flying Sch., Taft, Calif.

COAST ARTILLERY CORPS

MAJ. GEN. JOSEPH A. GREEN, C. of CAC Col. Charles K. Wing, prior orders revoked.

Lt. Col. Joseph C. Haw, from Orono, Me., 1 June, to Harbor Defenses of Sandy Hook, Ft. Hancock, N. J.

Lt. Col. Dale D. Hinman, from Ft. Story, Va., to Org. Res., 3d Corps Area, Norfolk, Va.

Lt. Col. Nelson Dingley 3d, from Rochester, N. Y., to Hawaiian Dept., sail N. Y., 18 June.

Lt. Col. Alva F. Englehart, from Ft. Worden, Wash., to hq., 9th CA Dist., Ft. Winfield Scott, Calif.

Following Lt. Cols., from sta. ind., to det. with GSC, off. C. of S., Wash., D. C.: Gordon de L. Carrington, Camp Callan, Calif.; Willard W. Irvine, Ft. Leavenworth, Kans.

Lt. Col. Wilmer S. Phillips, from Blacksburg, Va., 10 June, to off. C. of CA, Wash., D. C.

Maj. Willard L. Wright, prior orders amended: to Harbor Defenses of Chesapeake Bay, Ft. Monroe, Va.

Maj. Gerald G. Gibbs, from Ft. Preble, Me., 9 June, to Harbor Defenses of Sandy Hook, Army Base, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Maj. Everett K. Higgins, from Ft. MacArthur, Calif., to Hawaiian Dept., sail San Fran., 7 June.

Maj. Donald B. Wilson, from Ft. Wadsworth, N. Y., to off. C. of S., Wash., D. C.

Maj. Lyman L. Lemnitzer, prior orders amended: from Camp Stewart, Ga., to off. C. of S., Wash., det. with GSC.

Following off. from Moffett Fld., Calif., 30 May, to AC Basic Flying Sch., Taft, Calif.: Capt. Clifford J. Woodley, 1st Lt. Ronald G. Grebner.

Following off. from sta. ind., to instr., CA Sch., Ft. Monroe, Va.: Capt. Walter T. Stone, Ft. Winfield Scott, Calif., 18 May; 1st Lt. Max McCord, Ft. Crockett, Tex., 10 May; 2nd Lt. Edwin G. Schuck, Ft. DuPont, Del., 10 May.

Capt. Reece H. Lewis, from Ft. MacArthur, Calif., to Hawaiian Dept., sail San Fran., 7 June.

Capt. Harold E. Linderson, from Boston, Mass., to Panama Canal Dept., sail N. Y., 15 May.

Capt. John B. Richmond, from Portland, Me., to Panama Canal Dept., sail N. Y., 15 May.

Following off., from Ft. Adams, R. I., to Panama Canal Dept., sail N. Y., 5 June: Capt. Lowell A. Milligan, 1st Lt. Lawrence Kanfers.

Capt. Keith F. Cordrey, from Ft. Eustis, Va., to staff, CA Sch., Ft. Monroe, Va.

Capt. William T. Hartman, from Ft. Story, Va., 12 May, to asst. to const. QM, 3d Zone, Baltimore, Md.

Capt. Elsworth C. Wallace, prior orders amended: from Moffett Fld., Calif., 20 May.

Capt. Preston C. Clayton, from Camp Stewart, Ga., to Recreational Area, Panama City, Fla.

Capt. William H. Kinard, Jr., prior orders amended: from Ft. Winfield Scott, Calif.

Capt. George N. Kibler, from Camp Davis, N. C., 14 May, to asst. to const. QM, 4th Zone, Atlanta, Ga.

Following 1st Lts., from sta. ind., to Philippine Dept., sail San Fran., 5 June: Duane L. Cosper, Ft. Worden, Wash.; George L. Williams, Camp Davis, N. C.

1st Lt. Thomas S. Bryan, from Ft. Eustis, Va., to Philippine Dept. Sail San Fran., 5 June.

1st Lt. Dallas F. Haynes, from Philippine Dept., to 39th CA Brigade, Ft. Bliss, Tex.

2nd Lt. Eugene H. Field, from Moffett Fld., Calif., 3 June, to AC Advanced Flying Sch., Phoenix, Ariz.

2nd Lt. Lester L. Peteric, from Ft. Bragg, N. C., to Philippine Dept. Sail San Fran., 5 June.

Following 2nd Lts., from Ft. Eustis, Va., to Panama Canal Dept., sail N. Y., 15 May: Thomas H. Ohl, Robert P. Ramey.

Following 2nd Lts., Camp Wallace, Tex., to org. ind., that sta.: James E. Huntsman, to 54th CA; Martin T. Sealy, to 26th CA Trng. Bn.

2nd Lt. William L. Wadsworth, from Ft. McKinley, Me., to Panama Canal Dept., sail N. Y., 15 May.

2nd Lt. Richard J. Wakeman, prior orders amended: from Ft. H. G. Wright, N. Y.

INFANTRY

BRIG. GEN. COURTNEY HODGES, Acting C. of Inf.

Col. Harry J. Keeley, prior orders amended: from Chicago, Ill., 12 May, to 7th CASC, Ft. Snelling, Minn.

Col. Ben. F. Ristine, from Ft. Snelling, Minn., to 7th CASC, Ft. Crook, Nebr.

Col. Edward C. Rose, from Starkville, Miss., 15 June, to 6th Div., Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo.

Col. Max S. Murray, from Anniston, Ala., to Philippine Dept., sail San Fran., 17 July.

Col. Carroll A. Bagby, from Iowa City, Ia., 25 May, to 12th Inf., Arlington Cantonment, Va.

Lt. Col. Henry C. Newton, from Camp San Luis Obispo, Calif., 22 May, to Armd. Force Repl. Trng. Center, Ft. Knox, Ky.

Lt. Col. Leven C. Allen, Ft. Benning, Ga., 1 June, to staff, Inf. Sch., that sta.

Lt. Col. Vernon C. De Votie, from Portland, Ore., 10 June, to High Sch., Joplin, Mo.

Lt. Col. -Paul R. Hudson, prior orders amended: from Ft. Ord, Calif., 31 May, to recruiting, Richmond, Va.

Lt. Col. Henry W. Robinson, from Sioux City, Ia., 5 July, to 5th Div., Ft. Custer, Mich.

Lt. Col. Michael J. Mulcahy, from Minneapolis, Minn., 5 July, to 2d Div., Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.

Lt. Col. Harry E. Fischer, from Louisville, Ky., 5 July, to 2d Div., Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.

Lt. Col. Wilson McK. Spann, from Elizabeth, N. J., 5 July, to 1st Div., Ft. Devens, Mass.

Lt. Col. Adlai C. Young, from Houston, Tex., 5 July, to 368th Inf., Ft. Huachuca, Ariz.

Lt. Col. Ralph F. Love, from Sikeston, Mo., 5 July, to 50th Mil. Police Bn., Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.

Lt. Col. Robert H. Barrett, from Wichita, Kans., 15 July, to Wash., Provisional Brigade, Wash., D. C.

Lt. Col. George S. Pierce, from Joplin, Mo., to hq., 6th Corps Area, Chicago, Ill.

Lt. Col. John W. Cotton, from Burlington, Vt., 5 July, to 7th Div., Ft. Ord, Calif.

Lt. Col. Hugh C. Parker, from Boston, Mass., 5 July, to 6th Div., Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo.

Lt. Col. Roy W. Voegel, from Fargo, N. Dak., 5 July, to 6th Div., Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo.

Lt. Col. Hervey A. Tribolet, from Dallas, Tex., 5 July, to 5th Div., Ft. Custer, Mich.

Lt. Col. Fred O. Wickham, from Lynchburg, Va., 5 July, to 24th Inf., Ft. Benning, Ga.

Lt. Col. James L. Garza, from Ft. Worth, Tex., 5 July, to 367th Inf., Camp Claiborne, La.

Lt. Col. Robert P. Bell, from Denver, Colo., 5 July, to 5th Div., Ft. Custer, Mich.

Lt. Col. Adrian R. Brian, from Bethlehem, Pa., 10 June, to off. C. Morale Branch, Wash., D. C.

Lt. Col. Charles M. Ankcorm, from Camp Barkeley, Tex., to 45th Ctr., Camp Barkeley, Tex.

Lt. Col. Miguel Montesinos, from Arlington Cantonment, Va., 14 June, to recruiting, Overseas Discharge and Repl. Depot, Charleston, S. C.

Lt. Col. Abraham Tabachnik, from N. Y., 10 June, to 5th CASC, Ft. Knox, Ky.

Lt. Col. Charles B. Lyman, from Wash., D. C., to Hawaiian Dept. Sail N. Y., 15 June.

Lt. Col. Glenn A. Ross, prior orders amended: from St. Louis, Mo., 9 June, to Inf. Repl. Trng. Center, Camp Roberts, Calif.

Lt. Col. Leven C. Allen, from Ft. Benning, Ga., det. with GSC, off. C. of S., Wash., D. C.

Maj. Merritt B. Booth, from Ft. Dix, N. J., 5 July, to 5th Div., Ft. Custer, Mich.

Maj. William E. Sherwood, Ft. Hayes, O., to det. with GSC, that sta.

Maj. George C. Stewart, from Ft. Benning, Ga., to off. C. of S., Wash., D. C.

Maj. John E. McCarthy, from West Point, N. Y., 10 July, to 4th Div., Ft. Benning, Ga.

Maj. Cleon L. Williams, from Ft. Moultrie, S. C., to recruiting, Overseas Discharge and Repl. Depot, Charleston, S. C.

Maj. Irwin W. Minger, from Presidio of San Fran., Calif., 14 June, to off. QMG, Wash., D. C.

Following off. from Moffett Fld., Calif., 30 May, to AC Basic Flying Sch., Bakersfield, Calif.: Maj. Frank L. Barnum, Capt. Clifford N. Braswell, 1st Lt. Robert P. Tatum, 2nd Lt. Marshall P. Featherston, 2nd Lt. Leo E. Schweitzer.

Maj. Albert C. Wedemeyer, Wash., D. C., to det. with GSC, off. C. of S., Wash., D. C.

Maj. Kenton P. Cooley, prior orders amended: from Ft. Lewis, Wash., 1 June, to Camp Sibert, Nev.

Maj. John H. Evans, prior orders amended: from Ft. Huachuca, Ariz., 1 June.

Maj. William M. Breckinridge, from Panama Canal Department, to 12th Inf., Arlington Cantonment, Va.

Following Maj., Camp Bowie, Tex., to det. with GSC, 38th Div., that sta.: Joseph E. McShane, Clay McFarland.

Maj. Charles H. Moore, Jr., from Ft. Moultrie, S. C., 9 June, to hq., Third Army, San Antonio, Tex.

Maj. Harley B. West, det. as add. member of War Dept. GS.

Maj. August E. Schanze, Ft. Benning, Ga., 4th Div., that sta.

Maj. Adna C. Hamilton, Ft. Knox, Ky., to hq., Armd. Force, that sta.

Maj. George H. Decker, from Ft. Jackson, S. C., to GSC, hq., 1 Army Corps, Columbia, S. C.

Maj. Harold L. Otterstrom, Camp Forrest, Tenn., det. with GSC, 33d Div., that sta.

Capt. James M. McKeand, Camp Shelby, Miss., det. with GSC, 38th Div., that sta.

Capt. Thomas R. Davis, prior orders amended: to aircraft observer, Ft. McClellan, Ala.

Capt. Godfrey A. Fowler, prior orders amended: to aircraft obs., Birmingham, Ala.

Capt. Adrian L. Hoebeke, Ft. Benning, Ga., to Inf. Sch. Serv. Comm., that sta.

Capt. Sidney T. Telford, prior orders revoked: from Maxwell Fld., Ala., to Puerto Rican Dept. Sail N. Y., 4 June.

Capt. John A. Renne, Camp Forrest, Tenn., to det. with GSC, 33d Div., that sta.

Following Capt., from sta. ind., to Panama Canal Dept., sail N. Y., 15 May: Henry G. Howard, Boston, Mass.; Nelson K. Lyons, Providence, R. I.

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SERVICE NEWS AND GOSSIP

Foreign Affairs—The diplomatic pot has reached a new point of boiling this week. There was the amazing flight of Rudolph Hess, designated by Hitler as the second in line of succession should he die, which has had world-wide repercussions because of its implication of grave dissensions in the German Political Command. There was the diplomatic recognition extended by Stalin to the pro-Nazi Government of Iraq, where the British are battling with Arabs supported by German planes. There are reports that Stalin and Hitler are about to meet and announce Russia's adherence to the Triple Alliance. From Japan were wired inspired statements that the Konoye Ministry, with the support of Russia, is endeavoring to induce the Chung King Government to make peace, and from Chiang-Kai-Shek came word that he intends to continue the war. Hitler and Darlan held a conference at which an agreement was reached on the collaboration of France with the Axis, which Marshal Petain approved in a radio address calling upon the French people to follow him "without questioning." President Roosevelt immediately issued a public statement urging the French people to "holdout" for the principles of liberty, and intimated that the people should disregard the Petain message. He also indicated that steps might be taken to assure the neutrality of Dakar, Martinique and other French possessions vital to the defense of the Western Hemisphere. Another development considered outstanding in diplomatic circles in Washington, was the defiance of President Roosevelt by Germany in connection with the transit of the Red Sea by American ships carrying munitions to General Wavell's command. Following the victories of the British in Ethiopia, and because of the materiel losses of their Army in Greece, the President cancelled his order describing that Sea as a war zone. Now an official communique from Berlin has proclaimed the Sea from the Suez Canal to the Tropic of Cancer, excluding the territorial waters of Saudi Arabia, as a zone of operations, and has warned that every ship found in that area will be sunk. Thus, an impasse finally has been reached. President Roosevelt proposes to adhere to his determination to permit American ships to traverse the Red Sea and has said they will be provided with protection. Either Hitler will back down, or Axis craft will carry out the orders given to them. If our merchantmen be attacked, they will resist and our government will protest and demand reparation. Then the decision will be forced as to whether we will enter the war.

Necessarily, this prospect is being considered by the pro-Axis Nations and neutrals, and is entering into their calculations. The Axis policy heretofore has been to disregard American aid to Britain until the latter shall have been conquered, and it is possible that the definition of the Red Sea as an operations zone was intended to influence the Senate in its action upon the anti-convoys resolution proposed by Senator Tobey. Because defeat of the resolution required by the President would have been interpreted in foreign capitals as approval of convoys, Senator Tobey decided not to press his amendment at this time. To some extent, American participation in the war has been discounted, and it is important to note in this connection that the Axis Governments through their press, have prepared their peoples for such an eventuality. They also have been pressing the diplomatic maneuvers which have as their object the combination of Europe and Asia against the Anglo-Saxon democracies. There is no doubt that under the Treaty of August 1939, Hitler and Stalin are carrying on discussions regarding their mutual interests. Probably the Russian Dictator has received assurances that Germany has no intention of invading Russian territory—a Moscow announcement declared there had been no shift of Soviet troops—and it is also probable he has been convinced that Russian interests in the Balkans will not be endangered, and that Turkey will not be attacked. What the Germans particularly are seeking from the Ankara government, is a commercial treaty, which will increase exports to the Reich. Involved in the situation is the consent of France to the landing in Syria of German planes and German troops brought to that dependency through the passage way between the Greek and Dodecanese Islands, and the Turkish shore. No one doubts that Hitler made the concessions he has promised to the French conditional upon German use of Syria as a base of operations against the British in the Near East. A strong factor in any French policy are the forces of that nation in Syria, General Weygand's African army and the French Fleet, sadly depleted, but still a potential fighting force. As to Japan, the American and British governments have protested anew against injury to their interests in China, and reiterated their friendliness for the Chung King government and as a demonstration of our purpose to protect our interests the Army has sent a strong force of bombers to Hawaii.

The Nations inclined toward the Axis are earnestly seeking the true meaning of the flight of Herr Hess from Germany. The German explanation is that he is suffering from "hallucinations." The English insist he is sane. There are many explanations of his desertion of his intimate friend who has been his idol for years, and whose collaborator and reporter he was in writing *Mein Kampf*. They range from patriotism to treason, a man unwilling to be a participant in the ruin he foresees for his country, a plotter against his Chief as a result of injuries inflicted by him, a flee from an expected purge and a peace maker. It has been suggested, too, that he disapproved the pro-Russian policy of the Government, and that his head had been demanded by Stalin because of his anti-communistic views. The strange mystery some day will be dissipated, but history shows that intrigues seethe in totalitarian regimes, and that in the struggle for favor of the ruler, there are victims particularly among the men closest to him. Such a man was Hess. His desertion has tremendously stimulated British morale. It necessitated Hitler calling the leaders of the Nazi party together and requiring from them another pledge of loyalty. When the German people learn of it, know that this second choice of Der Fuehrer for their government has fled to the enemy, no one can question that anti-Nazi sentiment will be stimulated. More than this, doubt has been created in Rome, Moscow and Tokyo as to the stability of Hitler's power. It is likely, therefore, that so far as Russia and Japan are concerned, they will be disposed to greater caution until they are certain that Hess' abandonment of Hitler is not the matter of the rat deserting the sinking ship, and that there is real basis for the reports about his revelations which are being put out by the British propaganda Ministry.

Navy Uniform Regulations—A number of changes in uniform items and specifications are embodied in the new Navy Uniform Regulations, approved as of 30 April, and now awaiting printing at the Government Printing Office, with delivery hoped for by July. One change will affect nearly all personnel in the Navy for it calls for dropping

the Napoleonic eagle in favor of the eagle of ancient heraldry. According to heraldic laws the eagle should face to the right—toward the wearer's sword arm—when worn on the front or rear of uniforms, and should face to the front when worn on insignia fixed to the sleeve or shoulder of uniforms.

Naval tradition in the past has used the modified forms of the Napoleonic eagle. The eagle in its several forms usually was cast, stamped or embroidered, looking or facing to the left. Why the Napoleonic eagle so violated the laws of heraldry, and why the United States adopted the form is not known, the Navy Department said. Articles affected by re-facing the eagle are cap devices, buttons, epaulets, aviator's wings, sword-belt buckle, and rating badges worn on sleeves. Rating badges worn on the right arm will be unchanged because the eagle facing left now faces front. Those worn on the left arm will be changed so the eagle faces forward. Inasmuch as replacement of present insignia will entail considerable expense, complete replacement will not be required until the owner has had reasonable use from the insignia and devices already owned and in use.

The new regulations also provide for use of metallic miniature pin-on insignia to be worn by officers on the collars of shirts of the new khaki working uniforms when the uniform of the day provides for the uniform without the coat. Alnav 66 provide for shoulder marks and gilt or gold buttons on the coat of the khaki uniforms, instead of the sleeve stripes and bronze buttons originally prescribed.

The use of shorts on shipboard or shore-stations in the tropics while at sea in tropical waters is authorized. Shorts, however, are not to be worn on liberty. Prescribed articles of clothing in the list are for officers, cap, shirt, shorts, white socks and shoes; for enlisted men, white hat, undershirt, shorts, white socks and black shoes. The shorts may be either white or khaki.

Special winter clothing shall include wind and rain-proof jacket, trousers of same material, helmet, mask, goggles, gloves and arctics. The jackets shall be made from dark blue water repellent jungle cloth, fully lined with Navy standard dark blue flannel, and closed in front with a concealed slide fastener and have a pocket on each side.

Army Medical Corps—Newly developed hospital trains will be used for the first time in the approaching Army maneuvers which will furnish an opportunity to test the new hospital train that has been developed by the Surgeon General's office after years of intensive study. The train consists of a hospital unit car and pullman or chair cars with hospital beds in place of seats and chairs. Two hospital unit cars now are on exhibition at the Medical Field Service School at Carlisle Barracks, Pa., and at Ft. McPherson, Ga. Each bed car will be staffed with three Army nurses and three orderlies working on 8-hour shifts. Hospital trains probably will use 10 to 15 cars for the transport of wounded soldiers to Army hospitals. Emergency cases will not be carried on the trains. The units to be used in the forthcoming maneuvers will be under the supervision of Col. James E. Bayliss, Fourth Corps Area Surgeon.

The War Department has announced the transfer of 26 enlisted men from the Medical Detachment, Patterson Field, Dayton, Ohio, to the Medical Detachment, Air Corps Facility, Charlotte, N. C., and 49 enlisted men from Barksdale Field, La., to the Medical Detachment, Air Corps Facility, New Orleans, La.

Navy Travel on Leave—To enable all Naval personnel to take advantage of the recently announced offer of American railroads to carry personnel of the Army, Navy, Marine Corps and Coast Guard on leave for one and one-fourth cents a mile, the Navy Department is mailing furlough fare certificates to all district commandants in continental United States. The reduced fare tickets, the Navy said in an Alnav to the service, are obtainable upon presentation of furlough fare certificates. District commandants will distribute these certificates, when received, according to needs of district activities and ships. Ships will obtain certificates from convenient shore activities. Leave orders must be presented by personnel when applying for the certificate or ticket. The reduced fare applies only to men travelling on leave at their own expense. It also applies only to round trips, to travel in coaches, and to men travelling in uniform.

Field Artillery—Maj. Gen. R. M. Danford left Washington by plane Monday 12 May, for Ft. Sill, Okla., for a three day visit in connection with activities of the Field Artillery School. He was accompanied by Lt. Col. Guy O. Kurtz and Maj. R. E. Chandler.

Five hundred and eighty-eight of the Field Artillery graduates of R.O.T.C. units in June, 1941, will enter the Field Artillery School during the summer. Classes will enter each week commencing 26 June 1941. Fifty-six of the new officers will enter with each class.

The remainder of this year's Field Artillery graduates of R.O.T.C. units will be assigned to Field Artillery Replacement Training Centers or to troop units.

Orders will be issued soon for the interchange in permanent stations of two Field Artillery regiments, one now stationed at Ft. Ethan Allen, Vt., the other at Madison Barracks, N. Y. The 186th Field Artillery, 155mm. howitzer, will be moved from Madison Barracks, to Ft. Ethan Allen at a time to be determined by the commanding general of the First Corps Area, while the 258th Field Artillery, 155mm. gun, will be moved from Ft. Ethan Allen to Madison Barracks at a time to be determined by the commanding general, Second Corps Area. The units are changing posts to provide an adequate firing range for the 155mm. guns of the 258th Field Artillery.

Additional buildings and facilities for the Field Artillery Replacement Training Center at Ft. Sill, Okla., have been authorized at an estimated cost of \$2,000,000, the War Department announced this week.

Navy Sponsors—Mrs. Selim E. Woodworth, Pasadena, Calif., has been named sponsor for the destroyer Woodworth, named for her uncle and father-in-law, the late Comdr. Selim E. Woodworth. The vessel is building at San Francisco. Mrs. Powell Clayton, Washington, D. C., will christen the destroyer Bristol, named for the late Rear Adm. Mark L. Bristol, when she is launched at Kearny, N. J., on 26 July.

Air Corps—Creation of a Maintenance Command of the Air Corps, under the jurisdiction of the Chief of the Materiel Division, Office of the Chief of the Air Corps, has been authorized. The duties of the new Maintenance Command are to assist the Chief of the Materiel Division in meeting responsibilities of the Chief of the Air Corps with regard to storage, issue, repair, and maintenance of all supplies and equipment required by Air Corps activities. Col. H. J. F. Miller, AC, has been designated Chief of the Maintenance Command, with headquarters at Patterson Field, Dayton, Ohio.

The Maintenance Command will consist of the Maintenance Command Headquarters and four Maintenance Command Wings. One Wing will be designated to service each area, now assigned to each of the four Air Forces. The 50th Transport Wing and all of the Air Corps Depots will be a part of the new Maintenance Com-

mand. The Transport Wing will service the entire Maintenance Command. Each Wing will consist of a Headquarters, one or more Maintenance Groups, Air Depots and mobile Air Depot Groups together with their assigned Transport Squadrons. The Depot organization will be divided into sub-depot units for assignment to each of the Air Corps Training Centers and Air Force stations located in the area under the control of the Maintenance Group Commander. With the exception of the mobile Air Depots, the depots and sub-depots of the Maintenance Command will be fixed facilities. Personnel for these will be composed largely of civilian technicians. Air Base Groups, which are composed of military units, will move and operate with the tactical units to which they are assigned. The size of the Maintenance Wings depends upon the number of depots and sub-depots in the Air Force area to which the Wing is assigned. Details relative to Wing numbers and commanding officers will be announced at a later date.

Maj. Gen. James E. Chaney, at present commanding the Northeast Air Force with headquarters at Mitchel Field, N. Y., has been ordered to duty in the office of the Chief of Staff, War Department. No information is available as to whether General Chaney will retain the command of the Northeast Air Force or the nature of his duties at the War Department.

Naval Reserve—The official residence or usual residence of a Naval Reserve officer recorded with the Navy Department is not changed merely because the officer is called to active duty, the Navy Department pointed out this week. The records will not be changed unless there is an actual permanent move. The local address maintained by an officer on active duty may be, and usually is, a temporary address.

Naval Reserve enlisted men of any class on active duty prior to 15 May are eligible to take entrance examinations for the Naval Academy preparatory school provided they meet requirements for entrance into the Naval Academy, as outlined in Article D-6102, Bureau of Navigation Manual, the service was told in an Alnav this week. Since many reservists are on active duty in naval districts, the Navy said, all active service prior to 1 Oct. shall be regarded as sea service in determining eligibility. Drills attended prior to going on active duty shall be computed on a basis of three drills being equivalent to one month of active duty.

Corps of Engineers—Organization of the Eastern Division and delineation of its subsidiary districts has been officially announced by the Office Chief of Engineers, following completion of negotiations incident to acquisition of island bases from Great Britain. The division has been at work ever since transfer of the bases, of course, but was operating unofficially until exact bounds of the areas leased by the United States could be agreed upon by the various governments involved. Division headquarters is in Washington, D. C., with Lt. Col. J. D. Arthur, jr., as division engineer, and Lt. Col. A. C. Lieber as executive. The Newfoundland District, Lt. Col. Philip G. Bruton, district engineer, administers all Army construction in Newfoundland from St. John's. The Bermuda District, headquarters at St. George's, with Maj. Donald G. White serving as district engineer, handles all Army construction in Bermuda. The Jamaica District, headquarters Kingston, is responsible for construction in Jamaica and in Mayaguana Island, under supervision of Maj. Robert G. Lovett. The Trinidad District, Maj. D. A. D. Ogden, district engineer, administers from Port of Spain all Army construction in Trinidad, Antigua; and St. Lucia Islands, British West Indies, and in British Guiana.

Company D, 30th Engineer Battalion (Topographical) will be transferred shortly for permanent change of station, from Ft. Belvoir, Va., to Camden, S. C. Movement will be by motor and rail.

The 87th Engineer Battalion (heavy pontons) has received 64 new heavy duty prime movers (trucks) and 64 new semi-trailers on which to transport ponton bridges, Maj. Don G. Shingler, commanding officer, announced 10 May. The semi-trailers are of a new type designed especially to transport the Army's 25-ton ponton bridge equipment. The trucks, also of a new design, have ten speeds forward and two in reverse.

The 87th Engineer Battalion, activated 1 Aug. 1940, is the first heavy ponton unit to be organized in the Army. Transportation of the unit has been so designed as to minimize the number of vehicles required to transport material. This effects a corresponding reduction in road space.

Chemical Warfare Service—To meet the current expansion of the Army, the Chemical Warfare Service this week activated the 3rd Maintenance Company at Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., and the 3rd Chemical Company (Laboratory) at Edgewood Arsenal, Md. The 3rd Maintenance Company is composed of 102 enlisted men and 4 officers and the 3rd Chemical Company (Laboratory) is made up of 66 men and 14 officers.

A decontamination and an impregnatory company, both of Edgewood Arsenal, Md., and the 3rd Chemical Company Depot at Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., are scheduled to be activated in June.

Lt. Col. Martin B. Chittick has reported to duty at the Office of Chief of Chemical Warfare Service, and assigned to the technical division.

Signal Corps—Authorization has been given by the War Department for acquisition of land and construction of a Signal Corps Depot in Fayette County, Ky., eight miles east of Lexington. The site consists of 768 acres, divided into eight parcels of land. The project will involve expenditure of approximately \$2,400,000. Funds for purchase of the land were contained in the Fourth Supplemental National Defense Bill. Funds are immediately available for construction of 46 storage buildings and two testing buildings, which will be of the one-story variety. All construction will be of a semi-permanent type, using hollow tile. Other buildings to be constructed at the depot include one administrative building, including guard headquarters, telephone and telegraph space and a fire station; one service station; one motor repair garage; one paint, oil and dope shop; one gate-type sentry house with suitable wire fencing; one heating plant; one steam distributing system.

No provision for housing troops is contained in the authorized list of buildings. The depot will be operated principally by civilian forces who will be quartered elsewhere.

Ship Construction—Contracts for construction of propelling machinery and spare parts and ordnance equipment for various naval vessels awarded by the Navy Department this week totaled over \$20,000,000. To Busch-Sulzer Brothers of St. Louis went contract for 16 sets of propelling machinery for minesweepers at a total cost of \$8,305,500. The Cleveland Diesel Engines Division of General Motors Corp., will build three sets of propelling machinery and spare parts for submarine tenders at a cost of

\$1,951,000 each, or a total of \$5,853,000. The same company will furnish ten sets of machinery for fleet tugs at a total of \$4,300,000.

A Dayton firm will furnish ordnance equipment to the Navy amounting to \$1,490,700, while a Pittsburgh concern has been awarded an ordnance contract amounting to \$1,175,000.

Quartermaster Corps—Maj. Gen. William D. Connor, USA-Ret., has been called to active duty and assigned as chairman of the Construction Advisory Committee of the Office of the Quartermaster General in Washington. He succeeds Brig. Gen. George R. Spalding, USA-Ret., who asked to be relieved of the chairmanship because of poor health. General Spalding will, however, remain as a member of the committee. General Connor was graduated at West Point in 1897 and has a long and distinguished career in the Army. He was superintendent of the Military Academy for six years and saw service as Assistant Quartermaster General.

Dean James H. Graham of the Engineering School, University of Kentucky, formerly a colonel in the Army, has been named technical advisor to the Chief of the Construction Division, Brig. Gen. Brehon B. Somervell. Dean Graham served as a colonel in the Corps of Engineers during the World War.

Col. William R. White has been appointed Department Quartermaster of the Hawaiian Department. Colonel White is a product of the Virginia National Guard and served in the World War as a major of Infantry in the Army of the United States. He was transferred to the Quartermaster Corps in 1921.

Maj. Gen. Edmund B. Gregory, The Quartermaster General, said over the radio Wednesday in an interview on NBC's farm and home hour that there are no "food fads" in the Army but every new development in food and its preparation is being tested. He also said the present Army clothing is the best ever used, that the barracks are well built, and that every possible step is being taken to assure comfort.

One of the features of the Spring exposition and health food show in Chicago this week was an address by Lt. Col. Rohland A. Isker, chief of the Subsistence Research Laboratory at the Chicago QM Depot, on the subject of "Army Nutrition." He declared that the Army food is excellent and that the new recruit or trainee gets everything he does at home except possibly some service. "He may be accustomed to having his mother give him a poached egg on toast while he reads the morning paper. In the Army he will get his eggs and toast but he puts the egg on the toast himself if he wants it there."

Coast Artillery Corps—Col. Robert Arthur, CAC, until recently in charge of the historical section of the Army War College, has been designated as commanding officer of the new Barrage Balloon Training Center at Camp Davis, N. C., the War Department announced this week. Colonel Arthur will function also as commandant of the school being established in connection with the center. This school is designed for an initial student body of 80 officers and 750 enlisted men. It includes a development section that will work in close cooperation with the Air Corps, which was until recently in charge of barrage balloon defense.

As predicted in the ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL, orders have been issued transferring the 3d Barrage Balloon Squadron permanently from Ft. Lewis, Wash., to Camp Davis. The squadron will move by truck and rail.

In addition to the 3d Barrage Balloon Squadron and the Barrage Balloon School, the new training center will include the 301st Separate Coast Artillery Battalion (Barrage Balloon) to be constituted on the active list at Camp Davis about 1 June and at least 50 per cent of the present personnel of the 1st and 2nd Balloon Squadrons, as arranged between the Chief of Coast Artillery and the Chief of Air Corps, and Coast Artillery training cadres.

Ordnance Department—Assistant Secretary of War John M. McCloy and Representative John J. Sparkman, a member of the House Military Affairs Committee, were the principal speakers at a meeting on 13 May of Washington Post, Army Ordnance Association. Col. F. H. Miles, jr., president of the association presided.

The Philadelphia Ordnance District was highly complimented by John D. Biggers, director of the division of production, OPM, in a recent address before the Philadelphia Ordnance Association when he declared "no Ordnance District in the country is better run than is the Philadelphia District." Another OPM executive, A. R. Glancy, chief of the ordnance section, told the Economic Club in Detroit that production of Ordnance materiel is proceeding rapidly and American tanks represent the last word in military development. The priority schedule set up for the rearmament program calls for production of airplanes first, vessels second, then machine and anti-aircraft guns and ammunition, then anti-aircraft weapons and fire control, and then tanks.

Army Dental Corps—The War Department this week announced that individuals who are qualified for appointment in the Dental Corps Reserve who have been inducted under the provisions of the Selective Training and Service Act will be encouraged to apply for such an appointment. The intention is to make the services of such individuals available in a professional capacity as Reserve commissioned officers rather than as enlisted trainees. Men who are accepted for appointment will be discharged and ordered to extended active duty for a period of twelve months. Similar action has been taken with regard to the Veterinary Corps and gives these two branches of the Medical Department the same opportunity to build up their Reserve corps that has been open to the Medical Corps for some time.

Health of the Army—The Monthly Health Review covering the five weeks ended 1 Feb. 1941 shows that the admission rate for all causes for troops in the United States increased to 1776 per 1000 from 1935 for December and 885 in January, 1940. The rate was highest in the Fourth Corps Area, second highest in the Seventh and lowest in the Ninth. There were 91,357 admissions for disease and 7267 for injuries. The noneffective rate increased to 37.1 from 32.0 for December, the Fourth Corps Area having the highest rate, the First the lowest. The incidence of respiratory diseases increased to 1167.9 from 900.1, the increase having been principally due to common respiratory diseases. There were 548 cases of primary pneumonia; 11 deaths occurred from this cause.

Measles, mumps, and scarlet fever increased considerably, the rate for measles being 37.3 as compared with 12.4; mumps, 6.6 as compared with 3.8; and scarlet fever 3.7 as compared with 0.2. The rate for tuberculosis increased slightly to 1.4. Venereal diseases caused a rate of 42.3, an increase over that for December (33.5), being mainly due to gonorrhea. Of this group of diseases, the Eighth Corps had the highest rate, the Fourth was next, and the First was lowest. Other special diseases reported were German measles, 844; cerebro-spinal meningitis, 1; and encephalitis, 1.

Army Orders

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to AC Advanced Flying School, Albany, Ga.: Capt. William F. Shipman, Capt. John H. Throver, 1st Lt. Arthur C. Quattlebaum, 2nd Lt. Moses J. Barber.
Capt. Horace E. Pike, prior orders amended: from Moffett Fld., Calif., 20 May.

Following Capts., prior orders amended: from West Point, N. Y., to sail San Fran., 16 July: Chester A. Dahlen, Richard H. Lawson, Herbert V. Mitchell.
Capt. William E. Dahl, from Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., 12 June, to 3d Armd. Div., Camp Polk, La.
Capt. Morris O. Edwards, prior orders amended: sail N. Y., 13 August.
Following off. from Mitchell Fld., N. Y.,

20 May, to Windsor Locks, Conn.: Capt. Sim W. McDaniel, 1st Lt. Robert J. Ardison, 1st Lt. John S. Garrett.
Capt. Benjamin O. Davis, jr., from Ft. Riley, Kans., to AC, Tuskegee, Ala.
1st Lt. William M. Meyers, Ft. Benning, Ga., 16 May, to Inf., Sch. Serv. Comm., that sta.
1st Lt. Clarence W. Rice, jr., from Augusta, Ga., 15 May, to AC Trng. det., Graham

Aviation Co., Americus, Ga.
1st Lt. David M. Powell, from Ft. Custer, Mich., to Philippine Dept., sail San Fran., 5 June.
Following 1st Lts., from Selfridge Fld., Mich., to Philippine Dept., sail San Fran., 5 June: LeRoy Everett, Ralph B. Scheibler.
Following 1st Lts., from Ft. Custer, Mich., to Philippine Dept., sail San Fran., 5 June: Walter N. Forester, Lavern L. Wade.
1st Lt. Earl C. Reid, Ft. Leavenworth, Kans., 5 June, to Sherman Fld., that sta.
1st Lt. Thomas A. Howell, from Eglin Fld., Fla., 15 May, to AC Gunnery Sch., Panama City, Fla.
1st Lt. Woodrow S. Antley, from Moffett Fld., Calif., 30 May, to AC Basic Flying Sch., Taft, Calif.
2nd Lt. John E. Closson, from Ft. Benning, Ga., 8 May, to asst. to const. QM, 4th Zone, Atlanta, Ga.
2nd Lt. John P. Gillespie, from Selfridge Fld., Mich., to Philippine Dept., sail San Fran., 5 June.
2nd Lt. Jack Blades, Ft. Benning, Ga., to 501st Parachute Bn., that sta.
2nd Lt. Francis E. McCormack, from Ft. Benning, Ga., 10 June, to 4th Armd. Div., Pine Camp, N. Y.
2nd Lt. William S. Barnes, Camp Forrest, Tenn., to asst. to const. QM, that sta.
2nd Lt. Burrell P. Newman, Ft. Benning, Ga., to 97th Obs. Sq., that sta., ind. add. to other duties.
Following 2nd Lts., Ft. Benning, Ga., to 97th Obs. Sq., that sta.: Eugene S. Browning, William E. Hornby, Benjamin B. Walters, Joseph V. Hanbury, Robert C. Flanagan.

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Lt. Col. Joseph W. Benson, prior orders revoked: from Ft. Bragg, N. C., to Hawaii Dept., sail N. Y., 18 June.
Maj. Morris R. Nelson, from Hamilton Fld., Calif., 9 June, to Interceptor Comm., hq., 4th Air Force, Riverside, Calif.
Maj. Ernest S. Moon, from March Fld., Calif., to Interceptor Comm., hq., 4th Air Force, Riverside, Calif.
Maj. Ralph A. Snively, from Ft. Leavenworth, Kans., to 4th Air Force, Riverside, Calif.
Maj. James H. Higgs, Wash., D. C., to asst. to instr., AC, D. C., NG, Wash., D. C.
Maj. Casper P. West, from Gunter Fld., Ala., to AC Basic Flying Sch., Macon, Ga.
Maj. Roy T. Wright, from Camden, S. C., 25 May, to AC Basic Flying Sch., Gunter Fld., Ala.
Maj. Charles H. S. Russell (Spec. Rec.) from Wright Fld., O., 17 May, to Central AC Procurement Dist., Detroit, Mich.
Capt. Potter B. Paige, Hamilton Fld., Calif., to hq., Fourth Army, that sta.
Capt. William O. Senter, Maxwell Fld., Ala., to 4th Weather Sq., that sta.
Following off., March Fld., Calif., to 4th Air Force, Riverside, Calif.: Capt. Don O. Darrow, 1st Lt. Sam Maddux, jr.
Capt. Harry W. McGee, from Ft. Hayes, O., 17 May, to Bowman Fld., Ky.
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1st Lt. Arnold F. A. Kluever, from Hawaiian Dept., to Savannah, Ga.
1st Lt. Gregory Holsington, jr., from Hemet, Calif., to West Coast AC Trng. Center, Moffett Fld., Calif.
1st Lt. John C. Edwards, from Ontario, Calif., to AC Trng. Det., Ryan Sch. Aeronautics, Hemet, Calif.
1st Lt. John W. Watt, jr., from Arcadia, Fla., to AC Basic Flying Sch., Gunter Fld., Ala.
2nd Lt. Maurice B. Benedict, Hamilton Fld., Calif., to hq., Fourth Army, that sta.
2nd Lt. Marvin A. Sirbu, from Dayton, O., to Wright Fld., O.
2nd Lt. Ervin A. Schultz, from Ft. Custer, Mich., 12 May, to AC Advanced Flying Sch., Phoenix, Ariz.
2nd Lt. Florian A. Holm, from Orlando, Fla., 12 May, to Boston, Mass.
2nd Lt. William G. Carnahan, jr., prior orders revoked: from Maxwell Fld., Ala., 11 May, to AC Basic Flying Sch., Gunter Fld., Ala.
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2nd Lt. Robert J. Reed, prior orders revoked.
2nd Lt. John C. Reid, from MacDill Fld., Fla., to New Orleans, La.
2nd Lt. Robert W. Beard, from Moffett Fld., Calif., 30 May, to AC Basic Flying Sch., Bakersfield, Calif.
Following off., from Gunter Fld., Ala., to AC Basic Flying Sch., Macon, Ga.: Capt. Frank P. Smith, 1st Lt. Warren S. Baker, jr., 1st Lt. Samuel S. Riddle, jr., 2nd Lt. John Andrews, 2nd Lt. William K. Ashby, 2nd Lt.

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Lt. Col. Robert E. Carmody, prior orders revoked: from Atlanta Beach, Fla., to hq., 4th Corps Area, Atlanta, Ga.
Lt. Col. Reuben N. Perley, from Omaha, Neb., to University, Orono, Me.
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Lt. Col. Aristides Moreno, Governors Island, N. Y., to det. with GSC, that sta.
Maj. Tate B. Collins, from Jackson, Tenn., to Org. Res., 3d Corps Area, Phila., Pa.
Capt. Byron C. Brown, from West Tisbury, Mass., 25 May, to asst. to military attache, Santiago, Chile, rank of 1st Lt.
Maj. Robert A. Barth, from Baltimore, Md., 13 June, to QM Depot, Chicago, Ill.
Capt. Adam J. Bennett, from Harlingen, Tex., 25 May, to Agricultural and Mechanical College, College Station, Tex.
Capt. Henry W. Edmonds, from Ft. Moultrie, S. C., to recruiting, Overseas Disch. and Repl. Depot, Charleston, S. C.
Lt. Col. Theodore R. Maul, from New Rochelle, N. Y., 1 June, to LaGarde Gen. Hosp., New Orleans, La.

PROMOTIONS

Capt. Crawford F. Sams, MC, promoted to Maj., 2 May.

Ch. (Capt.) John W. Westerman, promoted to Maj., 1 May.

1st Lt. Willard L. Nielsen, DC, promoted to Capt., 4 May.

Following off. promoted to rank ind., 7 May: John S. Biscoe, CA, Maj.; Virgil P. Cline, Inf., 1st Lt.; Henry E. Cox, Inf., Lt. Col.; Herbert F. Croen, jr., CW, Capt.; Ivan M. Curry, FA, 1st Lt.; Alfred B. Dreher, Ord., 1st Lt.; Albert B. Evans, FA, Capt.; William W. Franklin, Sig., 1st Lt.; Howard J. Galbraith, Ord., Capt.; William L. Garner, Cav., 1st Lt.; Chris W. Georgehead, QM, 1st Lt.; Hugh Grant, QM, 1st Lt.; David E. Gross, Dent., Maj.; Don S. Haven, QM, Maj.; Frank D. Hazlett, Med., Maj.; Jesse J. Hinson, CA, Maj.; Joseph F. Houck, Dent., Maj.; Joseph Johnson, QM, Maj.; Frank J. Kendrick, Med., Maj.; Robert E. Lafferty, Cav., Maj.; Philip S. Lauben, FA, 1st Lt.; Roy W. Leggett, QM, Maj.; Kenneth K. Lindquist, Cav., Capt.; Franklin T. Matthias, Engr., Capt.; James T. Mercereau, Engr., Maj.; Walter G. Myer, Fin., Capt.; Vincent E. Murphy, Inf., Maj.; Albert Muschoot, Ord., 1st Lt.; William W. Nairn, jr., CA, Col.; John G. Nardin, FA, Capt.; Nowlin Randolph JAG, Maj.; John F. Reineck, Inf., Capt.; Nellus A. Rhodes, Inf., Maj.; Peter Rodynko, Engr., Maj.; Norman B. Rosenfeld, Med., Capt.; William M. Stool, Inf., 1st Lt.; Morris C. Thomas, Med., Maj.; Bruno S. Ulak, Ord., 1st Lt.; Bennett M. Venable, CA, Maj.; Norman F. Vogel, FA, 1st Lt.; Jay J. Wagman, QM, 1st Lt.; Harry M. Walker, Engr., Maj.; Robert S. Walker, FA, 1st Lt.; Harold C. Williams, CA, 1st Lt.; Henry W. Williams, Sig., Maj.; Alfred J. P. Wilson, CW, Maj.

2nd Lt. Edward C. Teats, AC, promoted to 1st Lt., 7 May.

Following off. promoted to rank ind., 8 May: Henry C. Ahalt, Inf., Maj.; Frederick H. Bachman, CA, Col.; Max A. Bealer, Inf., 1st Lt.; Natale Cancilla, Inf., Capt.; Roscoe G. Conklin, Air, Capt.; Charles H. Conway IV, AG, 1st Lt.; David I. Doderhoff, Engr., Maj.; Melvin Durkee, Med., Capt.; David H. Ehrlich, Dent., Maj.; Harold Mc. Grubbs, FA, Maj.; James L. Harrison, QM, 1st Lt.; George S. Haymans, jr., Sig., 1st Lt.; Edward G. Huey, Inf., Maj.; Harry A. Karesch, Dent., Maj.; Luis Maldonado-Soltero, Ch., Capt.; Paul Minnear, FA, Maj.; Harvey H. Nicholson, Sig., 1st Lt.; Charles Reinhold, Ord., 1st Lt.; Bernard Schneider, Med., Capt.; Edwin O. Shaw, AG, Maj.; Frank Sima, jr., FA, 1st Lt.; Charles M. Spilman, Inf., Maj.; Arthur R. Thiele, Vet., Capt.; Charles F. Wiley, CA, Capt.

Maj. Herbert J. McChrystal, Inf., prom. to Lt. Col., 11 May.

Maj. Karl F. Sneider, FA, prom. to Lt. Col., 4 March.

Capt. Arthur C. Ramsey, QMC, prom. to Maj., 10 May.

Maj. Aubrey C. Strickland, AC, prom. to Lt. Col., 12 May.

Following Maj. (temp. Lt. Col.) promoted to Lt. Col., 4 May: Edwin D. McCoy QMC, Bruce C. Hill, CE, Otto R. Stillinger, Cav.; Hugh G. Culton, Cav.; Mark H. Doty, FA; Murray C. Wilson, FA; Paul A. Reichle, FA; Osgood C. McIntyre, FA; James E. Bush, FA; Pete T. Heffner, jr., Inf.; Dewitt T. Mullett, Inf.; Gerald B. Devore, Inf.; Walter B. Smith, Inf.; Morris B. DePass, jr., Inf.; Charles Ennis, Inf.; Charles P. Prime, AC.

1st Lt. James H. Cavins, Inf., prom. to Capt., 13 March.

Following off. promoted to rank ind., 10 May: Robert L. Brightwell, Fin., Maj.; Edward F. Gandler, Inf., Capt.; Howard P. Kinsir, Ord., 1st Lt.; William T. Krueger, QM, 1st Lt.; Richard A. Macgowan, Ord., 1st Lt.; Harold V. Matxner, Inf., 1st Lt.; Philip Melody, Cav., 1st Lt.; Albert D. Mulliken, jr., FA, 1st Lt.; Albert M. Musgrove, jr., Engr., Maj.; Mansfield W. Nelson, CA, Maj.; Walter J.

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TEMPORARY PROMOTIONS

2nd Lt. Elmer A. Neely, (CAC) temp. promoted to 1st Lt., 7 May.

Following off., temp. prom. to rank ind., 7 May: Ashley W. Brown, Inf., 1st Lt.; Ralph D. Burns, Inf., 1st Lt.; Evan I. Clay, Inf., 1st Lt.; Earl V. Davis, Inf., 1st Lt.; Arthur W. Dorn, FA, 1st Lt.; Newman W. Enloe, Inf., 1st Lt.; Ewel E. Eubank, Inf., 1st Lt.; Anthony R. George, CAC, Capt.; George A. Gilbert, Inf., Capt.; James C. Glyens, Inf., 1st Lt.; George F. Graf, Inf., 1st Lt.; Peter M. Grahm, jr., FA, 1st Lt.; Robert F. Hamilton, CE, Maj.; Hunter McR. Hancock, Inf., 1st Lt.; Lee B. Hawkins, Inf., 1st Lt.; John F. Palmer Hill, FA, 1st Lt.; Arthur D. Kemp, FA, Capt.; Frank T. Logdon, Inf., 1st Lt.; Louis F. Lucas, FD, 1st Lt.; Louis S. Miles, MC, Maj.; Charles R. Owen, Inf., Capt.; Charles B. Schirard, Inf., 1st Lt.; Burney H. Smith.

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Following off, temp. prom. to rank ind., 8 May: Ralph G. Barnes, Inf., 1st Lt.; William T. Barrett, Inf., Maj.; Clarence W. Dauge, Jr., Inf., Maj.; Luther S. Diggs, Inf., Maj.; James N. Freeman, FA, Maj.; Robert R. Goetzman, FA, 1st Lt.; Russell Graybill, Inf., Maj.; Charles L. Hatcher, DC, Lt. Col.; William R. Hemphill, Inf., 1st Lt.; Robert N. Johnson, Inf., 1st Lt.; Malcolm G. Keech, FA, Maj.; George W. Lambrecht, Inf., 1st Lt.; Peter Larson, Inf., 1st Lt.; Lee LeForce, Inf., 1st Lt.; Harold T. McCullough, Inf., Maj.; Roy R. McKinsey, Inf., Capt.; Cameron Mackenzie, FA, 1st Lt.; Earl E. Mercer, FA, 1st Lt.; John F. Mungovan, Inf., Maj.; Orion N. Page, FA, Capt.; Walter F. Ponzar, Inf., 1st Lt.; Estes F. Proffer, Inf., 1st Lt.; Narvol A. Randol, Inf., 1st Lt.; John A. Renne, Inf., Maj.; Dan A. Ritchey, Jr., Inf., 1st Lt.; Everett A. Romig, FA, Capt.; Reuben N. Williams, FA, 1st Lt.; Leland H. Williams, FA, 1st Lt.

Following off, temp. prom. to rank ind., 10 May: Harold Caldwell, Cav., 1st Lt.; George H. Clark, MC, Lt. Col.; Will G. Crosby, DC, Lt. Col.; Harold L. Davis, FA, Capt.; Joseph E. Flaherty, QMC, 1st Lt.; Stanley F. Jastre, Inf., 1st Lt.; Francis F. Kane, CE, Capt.; Joe H. Marter, Inf., 1st Lt.; Nelson J. Moore, QMC, Lt. Col.; James O. Ross, FA, Capt.; George L. Sasser, Inf., Capt.; Walter W. Wendt, Inf., Maj.; Joseph T. Yarnall, Jr., FA, 1st Lt.

Following off, temp. prom. to rank ind., 9 May: Joseph D. Alexander, Inf., Maj.; Parkey H. Anderson, MC, Lt. Col.; Joseph S. Cotter, FA, 1st Lt.; Donald E. Currier, MC, Lt. Col.; John B. Egan, FA, Capt.; James C. Fitch, CE, Lt. Col.; Bobbie B. Ford, Inf., 1st Lt.; Ralph A. Glatt, Inf., Maj.; James D. Hodges, CE, 1st Lt.; William J. House, DC, Capt.; George S. Kraemer, OD, 1st Lt.; John J. Kuhl, CE, 1st Lt.; Herbert N. Odell, FA, Maj.; William J. Pelton, CAC, 1st Lt.; Everett T. Phillips, Inf., 1st Lt.; Ernest E. Price, Inf., 1st Lt.; Richard I. Reiner, CE, Capt.; Roy W. Riegle, Inf., Lt. Col.; John F. Sharp, MC, Lt. Col.; Manuel C. Sheffer, CE, Capt.; John A. Simpson, Inf., Capt.; William H. Skach, Inf., 1st Lt.; George G. Smith, FA, Capt.; George I. Staley, Inf., 1st Lt.; Clarence S. Underwood, Inf., 1st Lt.; James H. Wigglesworth, FA, 1st Lt.; Harrison D. Wilson, CE, Maj.; Edward D. Wimp, Jr., FA, Maj.; Leslie Yager, Jr., Inf., Capt.; Frederick W. Zies, Inf., Maj.

Following off, temp. prom. to rank ind., 12 May: George F. Ammirato, Inf., 1st Lt.; George S. Bare, Inf., 1st Lt.; James D. Beckett, Inf., 1st Lt.; William J. Carey, FA, 1st Lt.; Colo O. Combs, DC, Maj.; Frederic E. Consovo, Jr., FA, 1st Lt.; James P. Evans, Inf., 1st Lt.; Harold L. Harris, DC, Maj.; Errington R. Johnson, FA, Capt.; Robert J. McCabe, DC, Maj.; Joseph P. McGrath, Inf., 1st Lt.; Flody V. Perrine, Inf., 1st Lt.; John H. Scott, FA, Maj.; Elliott W.

Sproul, CE, 1st Lt.; Karl F. Stolz, Inf., Capt.; Forrest K. Straub, FA, 1st Lt.; Mortimer J. Sullivan, Inf., 1st Lt.; Ralph G. Thibodeaux, Inf., 1st Lt.; Percy R. Turnley, FA, Capt.; Arl E. Watson, QMC, 1st Lt.; James D. Wilson, Inf., 1st Lt.; Howard H. Wolfe, MC, Maj.

Following off, temp. prom. to rank ind., 13 May: Elmer E. Ambrecht, FA, Maj.; Herman F. Auerwald, Inf., Capt.; Richard H. Beck, AC, 1st Lt.; Maurice Brunner, Inf., 1st Lt.; John T. Byerly, FA, 1st Lt.; Robert D. Charlton, FA, Maj.; Ray S. Cloninger, FA, 1st Lt.; William F. Durbin, QMC, Maj.; Dick D. Elliott, FA, Capt.; Edward A. Fabert, Inf., Maj.; Robert C. Flanders, FA, 1st Lt.; James C. Frank, FA, Maj.; William A. Gray, Inf., 1st Lt.; Landy J. Hames, Inf., 1st Lt.; Irvin L. Harlow, Inf., Capt.; John E. Jackson, FA, Maj.; Gerald B. Lahey, Inf., Capt.; Frank Lucas, FA, Maj.; Hubert L. McCullough, FA, Lt. Col.; Leonard J. MacLennan, Jr., FA, 1st Lt.; Marion L. Madison, FA, Capt.; Robert F. Heiby, Inf., 1st Lt.; Harry A. Morrison, FA, Maj.; Arthur S. O'Brien, FA, Maj.; Charles W. Pearce, Inf., Capt.; John K. Peebles, FA, Capt.; Robert E. Philbeck, FA, Capt.; Alfred A. Pursall, Inf., Capt.; Alwyn N. Riley, FA, 1st Lt.; Ethelbert Scrugham, Inf., Capt.; Albert L. Seeger, Inf., 1st Lt.; Oran C. Stovall, CE, Capt.; Villaford S. Swan, FA, 1st Lt.; Jesse R. Waltrip, MC, Maj.; Clifford H. Wayland, FA, 1st Lt.

TEMPORARY APPOINTMENTS

Following Captas., AC, temp. app., to Maj., 6 May: Richard A. Grussendorf, John H. Ives.

Following temp. app., 2nd Lt., 8 May: Thomas B. Battles, Inf.; Murray W. Farmer, Inf.; Arthur A. Holland, Inf.; John N. Kohnen, CAC; Harry R. Lafon, Jr., Inf.; William J. McKenzie, CAC; Ben R. Morin, Inf.; John O. Power, Inf.; Robert J. Remondini, CAC; John W. Zentz, Inf.

Following off, temp. app., rank ind., date ind. to col., 19 April: Lt. Col. Arthur E. Simonin, AC; Lt. Col. Frank O'D. Hunter, AC; Lt. Col. David S. Seaton, AC; Lt. Col. Harold H. George, AC; to col., 21 April: Lt. Col. Walter J. Reed, AC; to lt. col., 1 May: Maj. Edwin Sullivan, AC; to lt. col., 6 May: Maj. John R. Drumm, AC; Maj. John S. Gullet, AC; OD Maj. John R. Glascock, AC; Maj. Ray L. Owens, AC; GSC to maj., 6 May: Capt. Roy D. Butler, AC; Capt. Berkeley E. Nelson, AC; Capt. Archibald J. Hanna, AC.

Following off, temp. app., to rank ind., 7 May: to col.—Lt. Col. Vaughn W. Cooper; to lt. col.—Maj. Chauncey S. McNeill; to maj.—Capt. Warren J. Clear.

Following off, temp. app., to rank ind., 5 May: to lt. col.: Maj. Myron W. Tupper; to maj.: Capt. John B. Day, Capt. Charles B. B. Bubbs, Capt. Thomas Phillips, Capt. Einar W. Chester, Capt. Charles H. Stewart, Capt. Emmett R. Colpin, Capt. Clifford H. Perry, Capt. Eugene E. Hagan, Capt. Albert J. Brandon, Capt. William J. Burke, Capt. Walter L. Sherfey, Capt. Arthur A. Jackson, Capt. John G. Shannonhouse, Capt. James R. Brownell, Capt. William J. McKiernan, Capt. Richard E. Humes, Capt. Youlir M. Marks, Capt. Howard T. Clark; to capt.: 1st Lt. Henry B. Sheets, 1st Lt. Robert M. Kraft.

Following temp. app., 2nd Lt., Inf., 10 May: Robert J. Malcom, Albert C. Yost.

Following off, temp. app., 2nd Lt., 12 May: Jack W. Bradley, CAC; Dean H. Craft, CAC; Jack L. Ellis, CAC; Jose F. Esteves, Inf.; James B. Eure, FA; Fernando L. Fernandez, Inf.; Emzy W. Gaydon, Jr., Inf.; Norman J. Gerdes, CE; Leon W. Gibbs, CE; James W. Graves, Inf.; Earl A. Higginbotham, Inf.; Clayton E. Irish, CAC; Francis W. Kell, FA; John D. Kelley, FA; Sidney M. Key, Inf.; Harold W. Larcade, Inf.; Richard H. McDonald, SC; Harold C. Meyer, Inf.; Clyde R. Mills, Inf.; Farnham L. Morrison, Inf.; George S. Neal, Jr., Inf.; Harlow D. Norton, Jr., FA; Serafin Pabon, Inf.; John Pavlich, Inf.; Jesus Perez, Inf.; Frank E. Petty, Inf.; John A. Regis, Inf.; Douglas B. Robinson, Inf.; Hector Rodriguez, Inf.; Lorenzo Santana, CAC; Frederick E. Staples, FA; Mathew G. White, Jr., Inf.; Robert H. Winkewerder, FA.

Following temp. app., 2nd Lt., 14 May: Archie G. Birkenr, Inf.; Alan S. Bull, CAC; Harry M. Carnevale, Inf.; Wallace N. Clark, MAC; Alfred R. Doig, FA; Glenn R. Doughty, Inf.; Elwood F. Fisher, Inf.; Albert L. Fowler, Jr., Inf.; Francis J. Gallagher, OD; Homer E. Gentry, Inf.; Charles E. Lauriat, CE; Thomas J. McBride, FA;

Frederick A. Newcomb, FA; Donald L. Southern, Inf.; Ogden E. Stansbury, Inf.; Paul P. Weckesser, MAC; Howard A. Wheeler, Inf.

TRANSFERS

Maj. Robert A. Kohloss, Jr., SC, transferred to OD, 8 May.

Following off, transferred to arm or serv. ind., 6 May: Capt. Irvin A. Hirschy, Inf. to QM; Capt. Lester L. Kornhauser, Inf. to QM; Capt. Louis W. Makley, Inf. to Sig.; 1st Lt. Cary S. Daugherty, Inf. to Sig.; 1st Lt. Samuel H. Gamble, Inf. to AG; 1st Lt. Louis K. Johnston, Eng. to Ord.

Following off, transferred to arm or serv. ind., 9 May: Capt. Malcolm W. Moss, MI to Air; 1st Lt. Jack Cunningham, CA to Air; 1st Lt. Frederick W. Winn, Inf. to QM; 2nd Lt. Orville A. Petty, 2nd, FA to QM.

Maj. Robert L. Strickland, Inf., temp. transferred to DC, 9 May.

Following off, trans. to arm or serv. ind., 12 May: Maj. Harvey H. Allen, Fin. to AG; Capt. William J. Aldredge, Inf. to Air.

Lt. Col. A. Robert Ginsburgh, JAGD, trans. to FA, 6 May.

1st Lt. James S. Brierly, Inf., trans. to OD, 6 May.

2nd Lt. Victor C. Warren, Inf., trans. to SC, 19 April.

Following off, trans. to arm or serv. ind., 14 May: Capt. Marvin E. Alence, Inf. to QM; Capt. Lucian Gillis, Inf. to Sig.; 1st Lt. Philip W. Amborn, Ord. to QM; 1st Lt. Peter M. Miller, Jr., Inf. to QM.

WARRANT OFFICERS

W. O. Richard Campbell, ret., from Governors Island, N. Y., 31 August, on own application, rank of 1st Lt.

W. O. John E. Robinson, ret., from Ft. Monroe, Va., 31 October, on own application, rank of 2nd Lt.

W. O. Robert H. Slegel, from Governors Island, N. Y., to Panama Canal Dept., sail N. Y., 5 June.

M. Sgt. Nelson E. Morgan, Bolling Fld., D. C., app. W. O., 8 May, to GHQ, Air Force, that sta.

Following off, app. W. O., 2nd Asst. Eng., 8 May, to Harbor Defenses of San Fran., Ft. Winfield Scott, Calif.: Curtis E. Johnson, Kelshaw Taylor.

Following off, app. W. O., 2nd mate, 8 May, Harbor Defenses, sta. ind.: Cornelius C. Olley, to Sandy Hook, Ft. Hancock, N. J.; Charles A. Krauch, to San Fran., Ft. Winfield Scott, Calif.; David Schulman, to San Fran., Ft. Winfield Scott, Calif.; Earl S. Brown, to Boston, Ft. Banks, Mass.

Bert Danielson, app. W. O., 2nd mate, 12 May, to Harbor Defenses of Boston, Ft. Banks, Mass.

Sgt. John P. Narus, app. W. O., 2nd mate, 10 May, to Harbor Defenses of Boston, Ft. Banks, Mass.

Cpl. Fred D. Newman, app. W. O., 2nd mate, 10 May, to Harbor Defenses of Sandy Hook, Ft. Hancock, N. J.

W. O. (Ch. Eng.) Robert R. Manuel, from Ft. H. G. Wright, N. Y., to Philippine Dept., sail San Fran., 17 July.

W. O. (Asst. Eng.) Roland J. Dufresne, from Brooklyn, N. Y., to Philippine Dept., sail San Fran., 17 July.

W. O. (Ch. Eng.) William O. Topham, from Philippine Dept., to Harbor Defenses of Chesapeake Bay, Ft. Monroe, Va.

W. O. (Ch. Eng.) Roy Rhin, from Philippine Dept., to Harbor Defenses of Ft. Winfield Scott, Calif.

W. O. Frank A. Louprette, from Columbia, S. C., to hq., First Army, Governors Island, N. Y.

W. O. Wallace A. Maciejewski, name changed to Wallace A. Modjeska.

Tech. Sgt. Carmine Luce, app. W. O., 10 May, from Ft. Belvoir, Va., to leader of band, 23d Inf., Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.

Pvt. Earl A. Wirth, app. W. O., 2nd Asst. Eng., 14 May, to Harbor Defenses of Chesapeake Bay, Ft. Monroe, Va.

W. O. John A. Grable, from Ft. Jackson, S. C., to Panama Canal Dept., sail Charleston, S. C., 19 July.

W. O. Edward E. Kislow, from Panama Canal Dept., to 28th Inf. Band, Ft. Jackson, S. C.

Pvt. Howard R. Petri, app. W. O., 2nd mate, 14 May, to Panama Canal Dept.

M. Sgt. Norman D. Anderson, app. W. O., 14 May, to Camp Wheeler, Ga.

Pfc. John W. Hodges, app. W. O., 2nd Asst. Eng., 14 May, to Panama Canal Dept.

W. O. Albert H. Easterling, prior orders amended: to hq., 8th Corps Area, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.

W. O. Aloysius Solpel, from Wash., D. C., to 2nd Div., Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.

W. O. Howard B. Rumsey, Wash., D. C., 1 June, to Wash. Prov. Brigade, Wash., D. C.

Following app. W. O., Band Leader, 14 May: Forrest L. MacMillin, Jr., Galen J. Piepenburg, Vernae E. Plunkett, Adrian H. Primo, Robert E. Mittelstaedt, Otto C. Monnard, Homer A. Tampke.

RETIREMENT OF ENLISTED MEN

1st Sgt. Antonio Vergara, ret. at Ft. William McKinley, P. I., 31 May.

S. Sgt. Floro Llaneta, MD, ret. at Camp John Hay, P. I., 31 May.

1st Sgt. Bruno Alferes, (PS) ret. at Ft. Mills, P. I., 31 May.

ORDERS TO RESERVES

(Orders are for one year unless otherwise stated.)

Extended Active Duty, QM

Maj. Edward L. Barlow, 11 May, to off Under Sec. War, Wash., D. C.

2nd Lt. Harry W. Dannettell, Jr., 22 May, to Randolph Fld., Tex.

2nd Lt. James M. Bishop, 22 May, to Randolph Fld., Tex.

2nd Lt. William O. Antozzi, 9 May, to Gen. Depot, Brooklyn, N. Y.

2nd Lt. Clyde M. Buzard, 22 May, to QM Depot, Phila., Pa.

Capt. Richard C. Moore, all prior orders revoked: 21 May, to off, QMG, Wash., D. C.

1st Lt. Clarence E. Madden, prior orders revoked: 31 May, to Philippine Dept., sail San Fran., 5 June.

2nd Lt. Herbert L. Freed, 22 May, to Moffett Fld., Calif.

Capt. Leon R. Hyman, prior orders amended: to Mitchell Fld., N. Y.

1st Lt. William W. Ireland, 23 May, to Randolph Fld., Tex.

Capt. Wallace G. Campbell, 23 May, to Holabird QM Depot, Baltimore, Md.

2nd Lt. Thomas F. Martindale, Jr., 23 May, to QM Marketing Center, Columbus, Ga.

Col. Kirk C. Schaible, 23 May, to asst. to const. QM, Zone 5, Ft. Knox, Ky.

Capt. Cecil G. Dunn, prior orders revoked: 15 May, to QMG, Wash., D. C.

2nd Lt. William L. Farrell, 26 May, to Moffett Fld., Calif.

2nd Lt. James O. Rasband, 27 May, to asst. to const. QM, Baltimore, Md.

2nd Lt. Hatcher R. Gibson, 28 May, to asst. const. QM, Zone 3, Baltimore, Md.

Prior orders to the following officers have been revoked: Capt. Harry P. Bork, 2nd Lt. Richard D. Vanderwerker, 2nd Lt. Frederick W. Purdum, and Capt. Richard C. Moore.

Extended Active Duty, MC

Capt. Fenimore E. Davis, 1 June, to Billings Gen. Hosp., Ft. Benjamin Harrison, Ind.

1st Lt. Harold McF. Childress, 12 May, to Stark Gen. Hosp., Charleston, S. C.

Maj. Newton C. Spencer, 15 June, to Westover Fld., Mass.

1st Lt. Samuel J. Sugar, 1 June, to Lovell Gen. Hosp., Ft. Devens, Mass.

1st Lt. John T. Cartwright, 1 June, to Lovell Gen. Hosp., Ft. Devens, Mass.

Capt. Samuel L. Miller, 1 July, to Chanute Fld., Ill.

1st Lt. John B. Plum, 26 May, to LaGarde Gen. Hosp., New Orleans, La.

1st Lt. Christopher J. McLoughlin, 20 June, to Lawson Gen. Hosp., Atlanta, Ga.

1st Lt. Sidney E. Wolpaw, 23 May, to Billings Gen. Hosp., Ft. Benjamin Harrison, Ind.

1st Lt. Leonard S. Berman, 1 June, to Tilton Gen. Hosp., Ft. Dix, N. J.

1st Lt. Joseph D. Lea, 14 May, to LaGarde Gen. Hosp., New Orleans, La.

1st Lt. John T. Deleahanty, 20 June, to Lovell Gen. Hosp., Ft. Devens, Mass.

1st Lt. Robert Flensburg, 26 May, to Lovell Gen. Hosp., Ft. Devens, Mass.

1st Lt. Harold E. Stadler, 15 June, to Billings Gen. Hosp., Ft. Benjamin Harrison, Ind.

Capt. Samuel A. Challman, 1 June, to Lovell Gen. Hosp., Ft. Devens, Mass.

1st Lt. William C. Burrage, 1 July, to Lovell Gen. Hosp., Ft. Devens, Mass.

1st Lt. Carl M. Harwell, Jr., 27 May, to Contract Flying Sch., Augusta, Ga.

1st Lt. James E. Peterman, 31 May, to Surgeon Gen., Wash., D. C.

1st Lt. Adam J. French, 1 July, to Surgeon Gen., Wash., D. C.

1st Lt. John L. Barner, 25 May, to Lawson Gen. Hosp., Atlanta, Ga.

1st Lt. Walter H. Bartlett, 15 June, to Lawson Gen. Hosp., Atlanta, Ga.

1st Lt. Norman L. Baker, 10 June, to Lovell Gen. Hosp., Ft. Devens, Mass.

Capt. Lester C. Kretcher, 21 June, to Letterman Gen. Hosp., San Francisco, Calif.

Capt. Jefferson D. Magee, Jr., 28 May, to Army Air Base, Albuquerque, N. M.

Extended Active Duty, DC

1st Lt. James A. Fulmer, Jr., 22 May, to Army Air Base, Charlotte, N. C.

1st Lt. Claude H. Torbet, 24 May, to Army Air Base, Jackson, Miss.

1st Lt. Richard E. Martin, Jr., 26 May, to Army Med. Center, Wash., D. C.

1st Lt. Robert G. Wright, 26 May, to Ft. Wright, Wash.

Capt. Earl J. Welch, prior orders revoked: Maj. William H. Hyde, 27 May, to Tilton Gen. Hosp., Ft. Dix, N. J.

Capt. George T. Cnen, 27 May, to Ft. McDowell, Calif.

Capt. Arthur Marks, 27 May, to Army Air Base, Jackson, Mo.

1st Lt. Frank I. Spengler, 1 June, to Army Air Base, Albany, Ga.

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1st Lt. Charles H. Ruffin, 28 May, to Army Air Base, Baton Rouge, La.

Extended Active Duty, MAC

1st Lt. Sidney R. Marcus, 2 June, to Puerto Rican Dept., sail N. Y., on 4 June.

Extended Active Duty, San. C.

1st Lt. Leslie J. Kroh, 1 June, to Gen. Depot, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.

1st Lt. John G. LaDue, 1 June, to Med. Depot, St. Louis, Mo.

Extended Active Duty, FD

Capt. John G. Fox, 22 May, to Army Air Base, Manchester, N. Hamp.

1st Lt. Wendell E. Gile, 22 May, to Ogden, Utah.

Capt. Norman W. McMillen, 17 May, to Recreational Area, Savannah, Ga.

1st Lt. Samuel E. Burns, 28 May, to Drew Fld., Fla.

Extended Active Duty, CE

2nd Lt. William P. McCall, jr., 12 May, to Eng. Off., Mobile, Ala.

2nd Lt. Francis J. Marks, 23 May, to 29th Eng. Bn., Portland, Ore.

2nd Lt. Edwin T. McCowan, 23 May, to Eng. Off., Mobile, Ala.

2nd Lt. Roger T. Shanahan, 31 May, to Wright Fld., O.

1st Lt. Roy F. Thurston, 27 May, to Eng. Reproduction Plant, Wash., D. C.

1st Lt. William C. Neuenhahn, 27 May, to Flight A, 1st Photo. Sq., Bolling Fld., D. C.

1st Lt. Roger J. Zampell, 2 June, to off. QMG, Wash., D. C.

2nd Lt. John W. Evans, 28 May, to asst. to const. QM, Zone 1, Army Base, Boston, Mass.

2nd Lt. Royce Childs, 28 May, to Holabird QM Depot, Baltimore, Md.

Extended Active Duty, OD

1st Lt. Winston B. McCall, 10 May, to Ord. Dist., Birmingham, Ala.

Capt. Thomas H. Bradley, prior orders revoked.

2nd Lt. Bruno S. Ulak, prior orders revoked: to Philippine Dept., 5 June.

2nd Lt. Toller G. McCoy, 12 May, to Ord. Dist., Birmingham, Ala.

1st Lt. William P. Gatlif, 23 May, to Ord. Dist., St. Louis, Mo.

Capt. Justin J. Hanaw, 23 May, to C. of O., Wash., D. C.

1st Lt. Arthur H. Murtha, 23 May, to Hartford Ord. Dist., Springfield, Mass.

1st Lt. Cecil P. Rice, prior orders revoked.

2nd Lt. James Mitchell, III, 13 May, to Ord. Dist., Pittsburgh, Pa.

1st Lt. Samuel R. Dewey, 13 May, to Ord. Dist., Birmingham, Ala.

2nd Lt. Ralph H. Owens, 26 May, to Savage Arms Corp., Utica, N. Y.

2nd Lt. Robert J. Reeves, 13 July, to Philippine Dept., sail San Fran, 17 July.

2nd Lt. Rupert L. Atkin, 1 June, to asst. Army Insp. of O., Saginaw, Mich.

2nd Lt. John K. Clement, 26 May, to asst. Army Insp. of O., Flint, Mich.

2nd Lt. William T. Young, 26 May, to Ord. Dist., Cincinnati, O.

Maj. Edwin R. Page, 24 May, to Aberdeen Proving Grnd., Md.

2nd Lt. James L. Layton, jr., 27 May, to C. of O., Wash., D. C.

Capt. Charles H. Willut, 27 May, to Erie Proving Grnd., Lacarne, O.

Capt. Herman A. Harris, 15 May, to Ord. Depot, Pedricktown, N. J.

1st Lt. William D. Raddatz, 27 May, to Ord. Dist., Chicago, Ill.

2nd Lt. Hubert J. Gurske, 27 May, to asst. Army Insp. of O., Utica, N. Y.

2nd Lt. Lloyd G. Dorsett, 1 June, to Aberdeen Proving Grnd., Md.

Maj. Lester C. Strong, 15 May, to off. of Under Sec. War, Wash., D. C.

Maj. David L. Woodberry, 20 May, to C. of O., Wash., D. C.

Extended Active Duty, SC

2nd Lt. Walter T. Lawrence, prior orders revoked.

Capt. Roland A. Linger, 23 May, to JAGD, Wash., D. C.

1st Lt. Thomas MacClure, 24 May, to Pigeon Breeding and Trng. Center, Ft. Monmouth, N. J.

Extended Active Duty, CW

Capt. John E. Devine, 22 May, to Edgewood Arsenal, Md.

1st Lt. Jim T. Baughman, 22 May, to Edgewood Arsenal, Md.

1st Lt. Allyn R. Wreath, prior orders revoked.

Maj. Clifford LeR. Sayre, 23 May, to Edgewood Arsenal, Md.

Capt. Joseph J. A. Proude, 23 May, to Edgewood Arsenal, Md.

Capt. Arthur L. Hill, 27 May, to Trng. Film Preparation Unit, Lowry Fld., Col.

Capt. John Howard, 27 May, to Edgewood Arsenal, Md.

1st Lt. Samuel J. Easley, prior orders amended, to Mater Fld., Calif., 15 June.

Extended Active Duty, Ch. C.

Ch. (Capt.) Andrew C. Stribling, 20 May, to sta. hosp., Camp Shelby, Miss.

Ch. (1st Lt.) Donald R. Brownell, 22 May, to 131st Inf., 33d Div., Camp Forrest, Tenn.

Ch. (1st Lt.) Edward J. McTague, 11 May, to Walter Reed Gen. Hosp., Wash., D. C.

Ch. (1st Lt.) George D. Pierce, prior orders amended: to Camp Davis, N. C.

Ch. (1st Lt.) Verne H. Warner, 23 May, to 33d Div., Camp Forrest, Tenn.

Ch. (1st Lt.) John M. Hughes, 23 May, to 132nd Inf., 33d Div., Camp Forrest, Tenn.

Ch. (1st Lt.) Herber H. Graening, 23 May, to 33d Div., Camp Forrest, Tenn.

Ch. (1st Lt.) Maurice A. Johnson, 23 May, to Langley Fld., Va.

Ch. (1st Lt.) Emanuel Schenk, 23 May, to 18th Inf., Ft. Devens, Mass.

Ch. (Capt.) Walter F. Humphrey, 23 May, to sta. hosp., Ft. Belvoir, Va.

Ch. (Capt.) Clarence H. Reese, 23 May, to sta. Hosp., Ft. Meade, Md.

Ch. (Capt.) Walter S. Thomas, 23 May, to Camp Lee, Va.

Ch. (1st Lt.) John M. Bellan, 23 May, to sta. hosp., Ft. Story, Va.

Ch. (1st Lt.) Norman B. Emch, 24 May, to Eng. Repl. Center, Ft. Wood, Mo.

Ch. (Capt.) Patrick B. Fay, 24 May, to Tilton Gen. Hosp., Ft. Dix, N. J.

Ch. (Capt.) Herbert A. Smith, prior orders revoked.

Ch. (Lt. Col.) Karl W. F. Schleede, prior orders amended: to sta. comp., Ft. Monmouth, N. J.

Ch. (1st Lt.) William H. Stender, 26 May, to 4th Div., Ft. Benning, Ga.

Ch. (1st Lt.) James R. Sammon, 26 May, to 6th Div., Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo.

Ch. (1st Lt.) John R. Kittenger, 26 May, to Randolph Fld., Tex.

Ch. (1st Lt.) Palmer P. Pierce, 26 May, to Maxwell Fld., Ala.

Ch. (1st Lt.) Percy F. Herring, 26 May, to Maxwell Fld., Ala.

Ch. (1st Lt.) Waldemar C. Lohrke, 26 May, to 129th Inf., Camp Forrest, Tenn.

Ch. (1st Lt.) Ross E. Purinton, 1 June, to 44th Eng. Regt., Ft. Belvoir, Va.

Ch. (1st Lt.) Benjamin M. Montgomery, 27 May, to sta. hosp., Camp Blanding, Fla.

Ch. (1st Lt.) Henry P. Maunton, 6 June, to Eng. Repl. Center, Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo.

Ch. (1st Lt.) Thomas R. Helmann, 15 June, to Army Air Base, Savannah, Ga.

Ch. (1st Lt.) James C. Richardson, 3 June, to sta. hosp., Camp Blanding, Fla.

Ch. (1st Lt.) James D. Fleming, 28 May, to SC Replacement Center, Ft. Hayes, O.

Ch. (Capt.) William R. Yokley, 4 June, to sta. hosp., Camp Stewart, Ga.

Ch. (Capt.) John R. Pennington, 28 May, to reapt. ctr., Camp Grant, Ill.

Ch. (Lt. Col.) Augustus F. Gearhard, prior orders revoked.

Extended Active Duty, Cav.

2nd Lt. Paul R. Van Thiel, 1 June, to Ord. Plant, Detroit, Mich.

1st Lt. Donald C. O'Hara, 15 May, to off. QMG, Wash., D. C.

1st Lt. William H. Pettigrew, 1 June, to Eng. Off., Savannah, Ga.

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MRS. Roosevelt, the President's wife, has arranged that the White House shall be open every Saturday morning exclusively to service men in uniform and those accompanying them. The hours are to be from ten to twelve o'clock. She first wrote the heads of the different services asking if it would be any special pleasure to the men to have a definite time set aside for them, and receiving answers in the affirmative, has acted accordingly.

The Secretary of the Navy, Mr. Knox, is to spend the week-end with Mrs. Knox at their summer home in Manchester, N. H., where Mrs. Knox has been for some time over-seeing the care of her garden. She plans to return to Washington a little later to take part in some special social engagements.

The Under Secretary of the Navy, Mr. James V. Forrestal, returned to Washington from England Tuesday evening and joined Mrs. Forrestal at their home in Woodland Drive.

Mrs. Robert P. Patterson, wife of the Under Secretary of War, was hostess at a delightful garden tea Wednesday at their home 1545 Thirty-fifth Street, Georgetown. Assisting the popular hostess were Mrs. Robert Lovett, Mrs. Julius Amberg, Mrs. Alexander Henderson, Mrs. Richard Wilmer and Miss Fish.

Mrs. Marshall has joined General Marshall, Chief of Staff, at their quarters at Fort Myer after a trip to Fire Island, where they have a summer cottage. Their plans for what the Diplomats call "the heated term," however, are still indefinite, and in the meantime, they enjoy week-ends at their newly acquired place in the Virginia hunting country.

The Chief of Naval Operations, Admiral Harold R. Stark, and Mrs. Stark are going to Annapolis today for the races between three crews. The Admiral was host at an informal stag luncheon at the Admiral's House Wednesday.

Rear Adm. and Mrs. Emory S. Land are the guests in compliment to whom Mr. and Mrs. Edward Stettinius will entertain at luncheon tomorrow at their Virginia place, Horseshoe Farm.

The Commandant of the Marine Corps, Maj. Gen. Thomas Holcomb, and Mrs. Holcomb gave a dinner party last evening at the Commandant's house at Marine Barracks.

Col. Robert Guggenheim, who has been called back into the Service, with Mrs. Guggenheim will be host at a party this afternoon at their home in Macomb Street.

Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt will throw open for a public ball their mansion on Fifth Avenue, built by General Vanderbilt's father, the late William K. Vanderbilt in 1880, the ball to be under

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the patronage of the officers of the Seventy-seventh Division of the United States Army, which division General Vanderbilt commanded at the time of his retirement from the Army Reserve, in 1935.

Proceeds will go to benefit United Service organizations. Representative Joseph Clark Baldwin is chairman of the event which is to take place 4 June.

The entire lower floor of the old mansion will be open to the public, for the first, and incidentally the last time in its glamorous history, as it is to be demolished to make room for a commercial building.

In behalf of the Soldiers and Sailors Club of New York in its current campaign for funds an event called a "Gala Night at the Trotting Races" will be held on Memorial Day. In connection with the entertainment sponsored by various social sports clubs there will be a spectacular military and naval display presented under the sponsorship of Maj. Gen. Irving J. Phillipson, commander of the Second Corps Area, and Rear Adm. Adolphus Andrews, commandant of the Third Naval District.

The Army's exhibit will be under the direction of Lt. Col. J. F. Daye, recruiting officer for the Southern New York Recruiting District, assisted by a staff of officers.

Capt. J. T. G. Stapler, Chief of Staff of the Third Naval District, will be in charge of the Navy program. Fireworks in patriotic colors will furnish the grand finale.

Rear Adm. and Mrs. Ross T. McIntire have visiting them Mrs. Jan Noorduy of Curacao, Netherlands West Indies, who arrived Friday by plane.

Mrs. McIntire was a recent luncheon hostess, entertaining Mrs. Robert Gormley, Mrs. Walter Bloedorn, Mrs. Frank P. Thomas, Mrs. Charles Stanley White, Mrs. Eugene Whitmore, Mrs. Percy Burness and Mrs. Earnest Van Foffan.

Rear Adm. and Mrs. David Sellers have gone to Lookout Mountain, Tenn., for a stay of two weeks.

Comdr. George Catlin, USNR, brother of Mrs. John Potts, wife of the Commanding officer of the Marine Barracks, and on active duty in Washington, was joined over the week-end by Mrs. Catlin who came from their home in Boston for a brief stay before opening their summer place at Whitefield, N. H.

Col. and Mrs. Potts have had with them at Fontaine, their Potomac River pied de terre, the latter's daughter, Mrs. F. Clifton Toal, of Atlanta, Ga.

Col. and Mrs. Harold A. Barnes have as their guest, Mrs. Barnes' mother, Mrs. S. Schuyler of Bordentown, N. J.

Col. and Mrs. Francis Mallon received at an afternoon at-home at the War College Sunday afternoon.

Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. Robert B. Ellis and Miss Lizanne Ellis left their home in Arlington, Va., Saturday last for Salisbury, N. C., for a visit prior to Comdr. Ellis taking command of the destroyer, Schenk. After he goes to sea Mrs. and Miss Ellis will visit in Wilmington, N. C.

Brig. Gen. Karl S. Bradford, who has been on duty four years in the Capital city in the office of the chief of cavalry, is slated for a new command—that of a brigade in the cavalry division at Fort Bliss. He and Mrs. Bradford are being given the stirrup cup; in fact many of them, by their many friends, and Saturday afternoon one of the pleasantest of these farewell parties was that held by a brother cavalryman, Col. James Duke, who with Mrs. Duke entertained between five and seven o'clock.

Mrs. Duke's sister, Mrs. Louise Selby of Los Angeles, who is visiting her, assisted, and the guests included the Chief of Cavalry, Maj. Gen. John K. Herr, and Mrs. Herr; Miss Fanny Herr; Col. and

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MRS. G. S. BEATTY, JR., who before her recent marriage to Lt. George Samuel Beatty, jr., son of Lt. Col. and Mrs. George Samuel Beatty of Ft. Knox, Ky., was Miss Helen-Ann Jacobs, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bertram Jacobs of Larchmont, N. Y.

Weddings and Engagements

THE Lutheran Church of the Redeemer in Brooklyn, New York, was the scene of a very pretty service wedding on Saturday afternoon, 10 May, when Miss Carolyn Georgene Wichum, daughter of Capt. and Mrs. Victor Wichum, USA, of 1291 Dean Street, Brooklyn, and Capt. Jefferson Davis Childs, son of the late Honorable Jefferson Davis Childs, and Mrs. Childs, of San Antonio, Texas, were married.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Dr. Herbert Weiskotten. The church was beautifully decorated with palm trees and various white blossoms.

The lovely bride, given in marriage by her father, wore an exquisite gown of white satin made with a long bodice and shirred skirt. The neckline was sweetheart style and the long sleeves were pointed over the hands. Her short veil was attached to a coronet of orange blossoms. She carried white orchids and freesia. The bouquet was tied with a citation cord, as were the bouquets of the attendants, which was very effective.

Mrs. George S. Prokop, who was the bride's roommate at Duke University, was matron of honor. The other attendants were Mrs. William H. Isbell, jr., sister of Captain Childs, of Fort Riley, Kansas, Miss Elizabeth Jackson, of Brooklyn, and the Misses Helen Marie and Jean Roberts of West Bedford, Massachusetts, cousins of the bride.

The best man was Lt. Col. Lawrence Leonard of West Point, N. Y., and the ushers were Capt. William H. Isbell, jr., of Ft. Riley, Kans., and J. Weaver, of Ft. Jay, N. Y., and Lts. H. Case, N. D. Chenault, J. H. Culbertson, and George S. Prokop, all of Raritan Arsenal, where Captain Childs is now stationed.

After the ceremony a reception and supper were given at the Pierrepont Hotel, in Brooklyn. Those in the receiving line included Mrs. Victor Wichum, mother of the bride, and Mrs. Jefferson D. Childs, mother of the bridegroom.

The bride is a graduate of Duke University, class of 1939. Captain Childs is a member of the class of 1932, of the United States Military Academy.

After a trip south, Captain and Mrs. Childs will be at home at Raritan Arsenal, Metuchen, New Jersey.

Lt. Col. J. V. Matejka, GSC, USA, and Mrs. Matejka announce the engagement of their daughter, Gardena Anne, to Lt. Lawrence Cutwright Sheetz, SC, USA.

Miss Matejka was graduated from the college of William and Mary in Virginia where she was a member of Kappa Kappa Gamma. After her graduation she became a member of the staff of The Metropolitan Museum of Art in New York City.

Lieutenant Sheetz is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Sheetz of Unlontown, Pennsylvania. He was graduated from the United States Military Academy in June, 1940, and is now on duty with the GHQ Air Force at Bolling Field.

The wedding will take place in the late summer.

Miss Joan Frances Rubens, daughter of the late Col. and Mrs. Horatio Seymour Rubens of 895 Park Avenue, and "Crestwood," Garrison-on-Hudson, N. Y., was married on the 19th of April to Frank Vernon Rogers, son of Mrs. Rogers and the late Wilson Dorr Rogers of Weymouth, Mass. The ceremony at 12:30 o'clock in the chapel of the Church of the Transfiguration, New York City, was performed by Rev. Dr. E. Clowes Chorley, rector emeritus of Saint Philip's Church in the Highlands, Garrison, New York. Owing to the recent deaths of Colonel and Mrs. Rubens, and of Mr. Rogers' father, only members of the immediate families were present.

The bride was given in marriage by Dr. Frank Edward Smith of New York City. She wore a gown of heavy ivory satin with pearl embroidery outlining the heart-shaped neckline and wrists; with an heirloom Spanish lace veil mounted on tulle falling from a high coronet. She carried her grandmother's lace and mother of pearl fan.

The only attendant was her sister, Mrs. Harry Ellery McKinney, wife of Major McKinney, USA, stationed at Fort Devens, Wilson Dorr Rogers, Jr., of South Weymouth, Mass., was best man for his brother.

The bride was graduated from the Lenox School in 1939 and attended Finch Junior College in New York. Her father was for many years President of the Consolidated Railroads of Cuba.

Mr. Rogers attended Columbia University and Massachusetts State College. He is a member of Sigma Chi fraternity.

Mrs. Edward Randolph Eberle announces the engagement of her daughter Mildred to Mr. Jean Blythe Middleton, son of Mrs. Charles Middleton and the late Mr. Middleton of San Leandro, Calif. Miss Eberle is the daughter of the late Lt. Comdr. Edward Randolph Eberle (SC), USN, and granddaughter of the late Adm. and Mrs. Edward Walter Eberle. Miss Eberle, a graduate of the Mary C. (Please turn to Page 1054)

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ANNAPOLIS, MD.
13 May 1941

Rear Adm. and Mrs. Russell Willson entertained at a luncheon, Friday, for the party of naval officers from the Latin American countries who were inspecting the Naval Academy. The visitors were also entertained by Rear Adm. and Mrs. A. T. Beauregard at their home on Southgate Ave. Admiral Beauregard is accompanying the party on its tour of the United States.

Comdr. and Mrs. Benton W. Decker gave a cocktail party Saturday afternoon in their home at the Naval Academy.

Comdr. and Mrs. Karl J. Christoph and Comdr. William H. Wallace will entertain at a cocktail party this afternoon at the former's quarters at the Naval Academy.

Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. Vincent H. Godfrey entertained at dinner Saturday night at their home on Southgate Avenue.

Miss Suzanne Decker, daughter of Comdr. and Mrs. Walter B. Decker of Norfolk, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel M. Terry.

Mrs. Dollard, wife of Capt. Henry D. Dollard (MC), USN, was the guest last week of Captain and Mrs. Smith Hempstone.

Miss Doyen Johnson, daughter of Comdr. and Mrs. Felix Johnson, returned home Sunday from Princeton after attending the Spring house parties.

LONG BEACH, CALIF.
11 May 1941

Mothers' Day is being observed this afternoon by Tau Omicron Phi, Army and Navy Sorority, whose members comprise many of the younger service set. The affair is a tea from 4 to 6 p. m. in the home of Miss Jane Hammond, daughter of Capt. and Mrs. Philip Hammond, 34 Fourth Place, with lovely garden flowers brightening the rooms, the table illuminated with candlelight and each mother presented with an old-fashioned nosegay.

Mrs. Husband E. Kimmel, wife of Admiral Kimmel, Commander-in-Chief of the United States Fleet, has accepted the sorority's invitation to be present as honor guest. Assisting at the tea and coffee urns will be Mrs. A. R. Ponto, mother of Dorothy Ponto; Mrs. Cyrus D. Bishop, mother of Natalie Bishop; Mrs. Cyril Rumble, mother of Jean Rumble, and Mrs. Hammond. Two of the latter's four daughters, Misses Jane and Chilton, will have hostess duties. Almost 20 mothers are expected to be entertained at the charming event.

The sorority does an appreciable amount of altruistic work. Its January bridge party raised money for a milk fund, which provides milk daily for children of needy families among the enlisted personnel. Recent activities have centered on knitting for the American Red Cross and participation in the Navy Thrift Shop.

A newcomer, Mrs. Franklin Van Valkenburgh, wife of Capt. Van Valkenburgh, is making her headquarters at 3023 East Ocean Boulevard, since arriving with the family

from a cross country motor trip. Capt. Van Valkenburgh, formerly stationed in New York, is to take over his duties in Honolulu as skipper of the USS Arizona.

Mrs. Van Valkenburgh was honor guest Thursday at the buffet supper in Pacific Coast Club when Arizona officers' wives living in Long Beach met informally. The Arizona group, numbering ten at the present time, plan to meet each Thursday evening at the Coast Club for the buffet supper.

Navy Doctors' Wives' Club will have its May luncheon Tuesday in the Hilton Hotel with Mes. John George Ziegler, F. Rohow, C. F. LeComte and G. B. Kenny as hostesses of the day. The luncheon menu is to be served in the attractive Sky Room of the hotel, which is on the roof and commands a sweeping view of the ocean and the twin cities of Long Beach and San Pedro.

At a gay buffet supper in her Roswell Avenue home last Sunday night Mrs. E. W. Armentrout, jr., wife of Lieutenant Armentrout of the West Virginia, entertained as a compliment to a young newcomer in the ship's contingent, Mrs. Anselm C. Holm, recent arrival from Pensacola, Fla. Lieutenant Holm (Medical Corps), has continued on to Hawaii to join the staff aboard the West Virginia. Mrs. Holm plans to follow him after a short stay here and in San Diego.

NEW LONDON, CONN.
15 May 1941

A farewell dinner dance was given on Saturday by the Submarine Base Officers' Club in honor of Capt. and Mrs. Henry M. Jensen who are leaving 24 May. There were 175 officers and wives at the dinner and many more came later for dancing. Captain Jensen who has been Commanding Officer of the Submarine Base for the past year, has been ordered to the Third Naval District for duty.

Capt. and Mrs. Henry M. Jensen were at home on Wednesday to the officers of the Submarine Base and their wives at the Commanding Officers' quarters. Assisting Mrs. Jensen at the tea table were Mrs. Cassin Young, wife of Commander Young, Mrs. Rufus C. Harding, wife of Lieutenant Commander Harding, Mrs. Howard L. Clark, wife of Lieutenant Commander Clark, and Mrs. Charles E. Sandgren, wife of Lieutenant Commander Sandgren.

Mrs. Gerald L. Cameron, wife of Ensign Cameron was hostess Wednesday, 14 May, at an afternoon bridge party given at her home in Deshon Street.

The regular Ladies' Club luncheon was held at the Submarine Base Officers' Club on Tuesday, 13 May.

Mrs. Ralph H. Lockwood, wife of Ensign Lockwood gave a dessert bridge party at her apartment in Beckwith House, Willets Avenue, Waterford, Monday, 12 May.

Mrs. Robert R. Williams, sr., from Buffalo, N. Y. who has been visiting her son Lt. Robert R. Williams and Mrs. Williams at 4 Maxon Place, left for her home Sunday, 11 May. Mrs. Robert R. Williams, jr., left Thursday, 15 May for Rockville, Ind., where she will be with her family for some time.

CORONADO-SAN DIEGO, CALIF.
12 May 1941

Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. C. W. Wilkens entertained last Saturday night at the Commissioned Officers' mess, North Island, at a dinner party for sixteen. Guests gathered at the Wilkens Coronado home for cocktails before dinner.

Mrs. Ross Rowell and her sister, Mrs. Lenore Williams, have recently returned from San Francisco, where they bade goodbye to Brig. Gen. Rowell, USMC, farewell when he departed by clipper for the Orient. During the officer's tour of foreign duty, Mrs. Rowell will reside in Coronado.

Officers of Patrol Wing 1 entertained yesterday, 16 May, at a reception in the North Island Officers' mess in compliment to Capt. and Mrs. William K. Merrill and Comdr. and Mrs. Gall Morgan. Comdr. Morgan is relieving Capt. Harrill as commanding officer of the group.

Included in the guest list of about 100 were Rear Adm. and Mrs. Aubrey W. Fitch, Rear Adm. and Mrs. John Sidney McCain, Capt. and Mrs. E. L. Gunther and Capt. and Mrs. S. J. Zeigler.

Mrs. Harvey P. Lanham, wife of Lt. (jg) Lanham, has departed for her home in Beverly Hills where she will reside during the absence of her husband on the Enterprise.

Lt. Albert J. Walden, USN, and Mrs. Walden have arrived from Bremerton, Wash., and have taken an apartment at the Chateau.

Also from Bremerton are Lt. and Mrs. Louis Henry Hunte. Lt. Hunte is attached to the USS Saratoga.

NORFOLK, VA.
15 May 1941

The outstanding event in Navy Circles here, for many months, was the reception and dinner given Tuesday evening, 6 May at the Cavalier Hotel, Virginia Beach, in honor of the eleven visiting navy chiefs of the Latin American countries in their tour of the United States as guests of Admiral Harold R. Stark, chief of naval operations.

Rear Adm. Joseph K. Taussig was the official host at this brilliant affair which was

preceded by a tour of the Naval Operating Base and luncheon at the Officers Club. Members of the official party included high ranking officer of Brazil, Chile, Uruguay, Peru, Mexico, Cuba, Colombia, Ecuador, Venezuela, Paraguay and Argentina, and the Navy and Army personnel of this district was represented by Admiral and Mrs. Taussig, Capt. and Mrs. Charles A. Pownall, Rear Adm. and Mrs. E. D. McWhorter, Capt. Allan S. Farquhar, Capt. and Mrs. W. A. Angwin, Capt. and Mrs. Herbert E. Kays, Capt. and Mrs. S. S. Payne, Comdr. E. F. Clement, Adm. and Mrs. M. H. Simons, Adm. and Mrs. R. W. Ryden, Adm. and Mrs. G. H. Burrage, Adm. and Mrs. Frank H. Brumby, Capt. and Mrs. J. S. Woods, Capt. and Mrs. B. V. McCandlish, Col. and Mrs. Dale Hinman, Gen. Arthur G. Campbell, Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. C. F. Greene, Capt. and Mrs. E. L. Woods, Comdr. and Mrs. J. E. Reinburg, Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. W. I. Leahy, Col. and Mrs. J. R. Henley, Col. and Mrs. J. F. Conklin, Adm. F. L. Reichmuth, Lt. and Mrs. J. M. Bolt, Senior and Senora J. A. R. Martins, Senior and Senora A. R. del Castillo, Capt. and Mrs. W. G. Greenman, Capt. and Mrs. J. G. Ware, Senora Hilda de Sierra, Mrs. O. A. Sandquist, Mrs. W. B. Bailey, Mrs. Henry W. Whitney, Capt. and Mrs. T. S. McCloy, Miss Louisa Pownall, Mrs. W. A. S. Macklin, Capt. and Mrs. C. H. Mack, Capt. and Mrs. Charles C. Copp, Mrs. Carl H. Cotter and Comdr. and Mrs. Gordon Rowe.

Col. and Mrs. Dale Hinman who are leaving Fort Story this week are being entertained at a number of interesting parties. Mr. and Mrs. Albert H. Ochser were hosts at a delightful buffet supper Sunday night in honor of Col. and Mrs. Hinman, at their beautiful estate, "Eastover-on-the-James."

At the tea which followed the regular meeting of the Naval Base Bridge Club Monday afternoon in the Officers Club, the tea and coffee tables were presided over by Mrs. Robert E. Cofer and Mrs. Robert F. Hickey.

Society News

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Mrs. G. I. Smith, Lt. Col. and Mrs. Charles S. Kilburn, Col. and Mrs. Edwin M. Sumner, Maj. and Mrs. Robert Howze, Maj. and Mrs. Fenton Jacobs, Col. and Mrs. Howard M. Estes, Lt. Col. and Mrs. Venard Wilson, Capt. and Mrs. John Claybrook.

Lt. Comdr. John Wise Morse, USN-Ret., and Mrs. Morse have visiting them their son-in-law and daughter, Lt. Raymond Hunter, USN, and Mrs. Hunter, for whom they entertained at a party at the twilight hours, the other afternoon. Lieutenant Hunter is attached to the USS Washington soon to be commissioned in Philadelphia.

Capt. Chapman C. Todd, jr., USN, and Mrs. Todd also entertained recently at a late afternoon party.

Capt. Frank Lowe, USN, and Mrs. Lowe gave a dinner Saturday evening at the Army-Navy Country Club for Lt. Comdr. Roger Nickerson, USN, and Mrs. Nickerson, who soon are to leave for a new post.

Comdr. and Mrs. Frank Slingluff gave a cocktail party Sunday afternoon last for their house guests, Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt

Sherman of Venezuela, who are brother-in-law and sister of Mrs. Slingluff.

Bidding Godspeed to a group of officers of the Ordnance Department, soon to be off elsewhere for station, Maj. Gen. Charles M. Wesson, Chief of Ordnance, and Brig. Gen. Earl McFarland, assistant to the Chief, and Mrs. McFarland received the guests at a party at the Army-Navy Country Club. Among those soon to depart are Col. Albert N. Bodine, who has been on duty four years in Washington and who with Mrs. Bodine is off on Tuesday next for a detour in the south, before heading for New York to sail for the Canal Zone. Mrs. Chester Clifton has been visiting her parents, Col. and Mrs. Bodine for the past two months and left this past week to join her husband, Capt. (Continued on Next Page)

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tain Clifton at his station at Fort Bragg. Maj. and Mrs. J. W. McKelvie were other friends who entertained at a farewell party for Colonel and Mrs. Bodine.

Lt. Col. Richard Hubbell, another Ordnance officer is also on the move, he and Mrs. Hubbell and family packing to depart 1 June for Fort Devens, Mass. And Col. and Mrs. Henry B. Saylor are also scheduled to leave Washington shortly.

Lt. and Mrs. Richard Hosmer have come to Washington from Sharon, Mass., and have quarters at Fort Myer.

Lt. Comdr. R. C. Moffat formerly stationed at Mitchel Field, has with Mrs. Moffat and family arrived in Washington and taken a house in near-by Arlington at 3181 Twenty-first St.

Mrs. Timothy Keleher, wife of Captain Keleher, who is going to New York for station the 28th of this month, was hostess at a luncheon for some thirty guests Thursday at her home in Porter Road, the Naval Academy, Annapolis.

Officers from all stations in the First Corps Area tendered a farewell dinner 13 May to Maj. Gen. James A. Woodruff, Commanding First Corps Area, who retires shortly after more than forty years of service as an officer in the United States Army. Approximately 400 persons in the military service attended this farewell dinner at which General and Mrs. Woodruff were the guests of honor. The dinner was preceded by an assembly period in the hotel foyer, where the 180th Field Artillery Orchestra played.

The entertainment included the following: A duet by Pvt. Louis Thiboutot, classical violinist, and Pvt. John Houps, classical pianist of Westover Field; selections by the Army Base Glee Club; the complete floor show from the Coconut Grove, including a chorus of ten girls; and Hum and Strum, singers and piano and guitar duet. Also included in the program of entertainment were Pvt. Harold Porter, professional magician from Camp Edwards; Pvt. Anthony David, swing pianist from Camp Edwards; Pvt. Paul Donovan, Irish tenor; Margaret Coates, daughter of Colonel Coates, who gave three Hawaiian dances; Kay Ivers, songstress of Station WBZ; colored Jazz Band of the 366th Infantry, Ft. Devens; and Maxie Armstrong, tapdancer; Jack Dalton, cowboy yodeler of Station WBZ; and Sgt. James A. Ross, Company K, 366th Infantry, Ft. Devens, colored bass singer of spirituals; and a duet by Georgina Dwyer and Cpl. Arnold Walker, Ft. Andrews, 241st Coast Artillery, Harbor Defenses of Boston.

The officers of the Woman's Army and Navy League, sponsors of the Soldiers, Sailors, and Marines Club, will be hostesses 19 May at a tea to be given at the clubhouse, 1015 L Street, N. W. Guests will be members of the Women's National Democratic Club committee in charge of the canteen they donated to the club, and other members of the organization who have been invited to inspect the canteen, where tea will be served.

Mrs. Roosevelt heads the committee, who are operating the canteen as their defense project, and will attend the tea. Other members are Mrs. John B. Gordon chairman, Mrs. Emil Schramm, secretary, Mrs. Thomas E. Sebrill, treasurer, and Mrs. William E. Beale, Mrs. Albert L. Cox, Mrs. J. Harry Covington, Mrs. John Allen Dougherty, Mrs. Garland S. Ferguson, Mrs. Charles B. Henderson, Mrs. Benjamin D. Heil, Mrs. James L. Houghteling, Mrs. Robert H. Jackson, Mrs. Julian Friant, Mrs. Benjamin King, Mrs. James D. Le Cron, Mrs. Henry Colt McLean, Mrs. Paul V. McNutt, Mrs. Edward B. Meigs, Mrs. Leo Bryson Norris, Mrs. James H. Patton, Mrs. Stauton Peele, Mrs. William Jennings Price, Mrs. Charles E. Riggs, Mrs. Edward R. Stilt, Mrs. Curtis Shears, Mrs. Frank C. Walker, Mrs. Bates Warren, Mrs. Charles Warren, and Mrs. John R. Williams.

Officers of the Woman's Army and Navy League are Mrs. Julian Schley, president, Mrs. Robert C. Patterson, Mrs.

George C. Marshall, Mrs. Royal Ingersoll, and Mrs. Seth Williams, vice presidents; Mrs. Robert L. Mitten, secretary; Mrs. H. W. Jones, assistant secretary; Mrs. Rex Rhoades, treasurer; Mrs. Oliver Spaulding, assistant treasurer; and Mrs. Walter C. Baker, Mrs. William Bryden, Mrs. John K. Herr, Mrs. S. S. Adams, Mrs. Thomas M. Robins, Mrs. Walter Woodson, Mrs. Luther Sheldon, Jr., Mrs. Felix Gyax, Mrs. Charles Sanderson, and Mrs. Harry Schmidt, members of the executive committee.

At its meeting on 12 May at the Army and Navy Club, Washington, D. C., the Army and Navy Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, closed a year of achievement with the distinction of now being the largest chapter in the entire D. A. R. organization, having a membership of 610.

Mrs. Hubert E. Paddock, Regent, announces the following as having been admitted to membership at the April Board meeting: Mrs. Walter Charles Ansel, Mrs. Alton Wright Howard, Mrs. William Q. Jeffords, Mrs. Bascom Slomp Owen, Miss Abbie-Dora Ansel, Mrs. Upton Birnie, Jr., Mrs. William T. Carpenter, Mrs. William V. Carter, Mrs. Harry C. Fraser, Mrs. Robert McG. Littlejohn, Miss Madeleine Loughry, Miss Margaret L. Phillips, Mrs. Allen G. Quynn, Mrs. George P. Shamer, Mrs. Cyrus Q. Shelton, Mrs. Whitfield P. Shepard, Miss Alma L. Smiley, Mrs. David E. Stephan, Mrs. Horace K. Whalen, Mrs. Lloyd W. Williams, Mrs. Alfred L. Uhler, Mrs. Lewis T. Ross, Mrs. Albert G. Love and Mrs. Edwin James Gillam.

The Chapter elected Mrs. Stanley D. Embick, Mrs. J. T. Tompkins and Mrs. P. Stanley Bond to serve on the Board of Management; for delegates, Mrs. Oliver L. Spaulding, Mrs. Charles W. Kutz, Mrs. Albert Knox, Mrs. Townsend Whelen, Miss Edith Hepburn and Mrs. William F. Morrison; for alternates Mrs. Donald R. Osborn, Mrs. Rex H. Rhoades, Mrs. Edward B. Gibson, Miss Mildred E. Paddock, Miss Alleen Wrightson, Mrs. Joseph Travers Maguire, Mrs. David J. Rumbough, Mrs. Ellen May Bloedorn, Mrs. Benton Weaver Decker and Miss Sophie Pearce Casey.

Weddings and Engagements

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Wheeler School is a senior at Mills College in Oakland, Calif. Mr. Middleton received his Bachelor of Music degree from Wesleyan University in 1935. After studying abroad with such eminent teachers as Bela Bartok and Nadia Boulanger he returned and received the degree of Master of Arts at Mills College where he has this year been assistant in Composition to Darius Milhaud, French composer.

Lt. Col. and Mrs. Will Hughes Gordon announce the engagement of their daughter, Patricia Ann, to Lt. George B. Robinson, Inf., USA. Miss Gordon is now attending the University of Chattanooga, and is a member of Chi Omega sorority. Lt. Robinson is the son of Col. and Mrs. Oliver P. Robinson, Inf., and the grandson of the late Col. and Mrs. G. H. G. Gale, Cav.

The wedding will take place the latter part of June.

At Saint Phillips in the Hills, Tucson, Arizona, on 18 May, Mr. William A. Mitchell and Miss Pauline Correll were married. Miss Correll is the daughter of Mrs. Correll of Tucson, Arizona, and the late Mr. Paul Poe Correll. Mr. Mitchell is the son of Mrs. Mitchell of Arlington, Va., and the late Brig. Gen. William A. Mitchell, formerly Professor of Engineering and Military History at the United States Military Academy, West Point. He is a graduate of the University of West Virginia and of the Law School of the University of Arizona.

From San Juan comes word of the marriage on 17 April, at Perpetuo Socorro Church in Miramar, of Ensigns Baird Weaver, USCG, and Miss Adela Marie Tombrink, daughter of Martin Joseph Tombrink of Omaha, Neb. Ensign Weaver is stationed on Coast Guard Cutter "Unalga." He is the son of Mrs. Beatrice Munro Weaver of Des Moines, Iowa, and grandson of the late General James Baird

Weaver, USA. Miss Tombrink is a graduate of the University of Nebraska, and a member of Theta Phi Alpha sorority.

Miss Ann Clarissa Fleming and Lt. Charles Francis Heasty, USA, exchanged marriage vows before the altar of Bethlehem Chapel of the National Cathedral, Washington, D. C., Saturday last, Canon Albert H. Lucas performing the ceremony.

The bride, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Irwin Fleming of Washington, was escorted to the altar by her father, and was gowned in ivory satin, with long sleeves, and square neck, banded with pearls, and a long train, the whole enveloped in a veil of illusion held to her hair by a coronet of point lace, and she carried lilies of the valley.

Miss Sarah Beverly Fleming was her sister's maid of honor. Other attendants were the Misses Katherine H. Ostermann, Barbara and Dolly P. Bradley, Clara A. Sasser, and Mrs. C. W. Hilderbrand of Ambler, Pa.

Lieutenant Heasty had as best man Lt. Lawrence Twomey of Ft. Hancock, and as ushers Capt. Halford Greenlee, Capt. Jackson Moorhead, Lt. Andrew Cox, Lt. McKenzie Tabb and Lt. Edward Conklin.

After the four o'clock service at the Cathedral, the wedding company went on to the bride's home in 29th Street for the reception, close friends and members of the family comprising the group.

The bride was educated at the Madeira School and attended Wells College, while Lieutenant Heasty, son of Mr. Charles Francis Heasty and the late Mrs. Heasty of Chattanooga, Tenn., was graduated from the Virginia Polytechnic Institute, following his graduation from St. Albans School in Washington.

Another wedding of Saturday last was that of Miss Nancy Kittelle, daughter of Rear Adm. and Mrs. Sumner E. W. Kittelle of Washington, and Lt. (jg) Frederick Grach Bennett of the USS Maryland.

The Rev. Paul Sperry officiated in the Church of the Holy City, at four o'clock. The bride's gown was of pale dusty pink marquisette, made with heart-shaped neckline, bishop sleeves and a bouffant skirt with flowers, made of the material forming an appliqued trimming to the skirt. She wore a headdress and carried a bouquet of pink roses, sweet peas and delphiniums, with an orchid center to the bouquet.

Her father gave her hand in marriage and her only attendant was her sister-in-law, Mrs. Sumner S. Kittelle.

Mr. Sumner S. Kittelle acted as best man, and the groomsmen were Mr. Frederick E. Campbell, Mr. Caruthers Ewing, Jr., Mr. Charles K. Moore, and Lt. (jg) Arthur M. Purdy, USN.

The bride is a granddaughter of the late Rear Adm. C. D. Sigsbee, and great granddaughter of the late Brig. Gen. H. H. Lockwood, West Point 1836.

Lieutenant Bennett is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John P. Bennett of Yazoo City, Miss. Owing to illness in the family no reception was held, and the young couple left for a honeymoon trip which will take them eventually to Bremerton, Wash., to make their home.

A wedding today will be that of Miss Barbara Jenks Thompson, daughter of Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Charles Fallington Thompson, and Mr. John Maury Dove, Jr., which is scheduled for half after four at the Officers' Club at Fort Lewis, Wash.

A wedding to take place next month will be that of Miss Isla Rea Valle, to Ensign Roger Warde Paine, Jr., USN, son of Capt. Paine, USN, and Mrs. Paine of Boston, Mass. The nuptials will be solemnized in Honolulu. The bride, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Valle of Fort Smith, Ark., is a graduate of the American Academy of Dramatic Arts of New York. Ensign Paine was graduated from the Naval Academy in '39 and was a member of the March class of the submarine school at New London, Conn.

The engagement of Miss Nancy Dykman Martin and Lt. John Winston Graham, son of Mrs. Ray Austin Graham, has been announced by her parents, Mr.

and Mrs. Henry C. Martin of Glen Cove, L. I.

Graduating from Miss Hewitt's Classes in 1939, Miss Martin was presented to society the same year at the River Club.

Lieutenant Graham was graduated from Phillips Andover and was a member of the class of '40 at Yale and Cornell Universities. He is a member of the Fette Club and Kappa Alpha. He graduated from the Army Advanced Flying School at Maxwell Field, Montgomery, Ala., and expects to be stationed in Puerto Rico.

Maj. and Mrs. C. B. Lenow of Hickam Field have announced the engagement of their daughter, Mary Sue, to Ensign Robert Hayes Smith, son of Mrs. Laura C. Smith, and the late Mr. Allen Dale Smith of Philadelphia.

The wedding is planned for the early Summer. Miss Lenow is attending the University of Hawaii. Ensign Smith attended Valley Forge Military Academy and was graduated from the Naval Academy in '39 and is now attached to the USS Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Lyle Prather of Cristobal, Canal Zone, announce the engagement of their niece, Miss Joan de Fotenay Doyle, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Doyle of Brooklyn, N. Y., to Lt. Daniel A. Nolan, Jr., who is stationed at Ft. Wm. Davis in the Canal Zone. Lieutenant Nolan is the son of Col. and Mrs. Daniel A. Nolan of Plattsburg, N. Y.

The wedding will take place in September, shortly before Lieutenant Nolan's tour of duty in the Isthmus is completed.

Navy Relief Society

In the Annual Report of the Navy Relief Society for 1940, Admiral H. R. Stark, the Society's President, states as follows:

"As the Chief of Naval Operations, I appreciate the great moral role that this wonderful Society plays in helping me to have contentment and peace in the minds of Navy Personnel scattered throughout the world. No commander of a Naval Unit, particularly those in distant waters, could possibly have a more active agent towards mental efficiency of his force than this Society which daily requires into and helps each case of sudden bereavement or hospitalization of the Navy's dear ones at home. I have lived in close contact with the Navy Relief Society these last two years and I commend it to all of the Service for loyal support."

Likewise Admiral Stark states with reference to the Naval Reserves that have been called back to active duty that he recommends that they give their financial support to this Society because as soon as they are called to active duty the Navy Relief Society becomes a guardian against distress of their dependents at home.

The Board of Managers of the Navy Relief Society would like very much to personally tell each Reservist the story of the Society but as that is impossible, the Board hopes that each will gather from his shipmates of the regular service what this Society has done for the contentment of the service at large. Just as Admiral Stark says, it plays an important role in the morale of the Fleet.

The Society cannot live on its income from investments alone and must depend on contributions from the service. Reservists on active duty must understand that their dependents at home will be just as carefully guarded against distress as are those of the regular Navy. The funds which keep the Society solvent have been the lifetime efforts of the regular service, consequently it can be only fair to explain that although the Society has rarely benefited financially from the Reservists, it nevertheless will ever guard their dependents exactly as is done for the dependents of the regular personnel.

The Society has 29 auxiliaries and there is not one that has not aided some Reservist who has left a lucrative position to accept the call to duty with the Navy. The drain on the Society is one that must be met by the Regulars and the Reservists alike.

To the newcomers to the service, the Navy Relief Society was created to care for the dependent mothers, widows and children of officers and enlisted men of the Navy, but as the responsibilities of the Society have grown, the work has been broadened to the loaning of funds, with

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out interest, to prevent distress arising from sudden emergencies among the Naval families. Last year loans for this purpose amounted to approximately \$450,000 and this year it promises to be considerably higher, due to the great increase in personnel and the wide dispersion thereof.

The Navy cannot prepare for its mission under these emergency conditions without undergoing fatal accidents. Training this enormous personnel itself unfortunately multiplies accidents with consequent increase in the Society's expenditures.

Those of the Naval Reserves that are interested in this one and only charity of the Navy can send any contributions to the Treasurer, Navy Relief Society, Navy Departments, Washington, D. C.

Coast Artillery School

The following enlisted men were graduated from the Coast Artillery School, Fort Monroe, Virginia, 14 May. The graduating class numbered 33. At exercises held in the Coast Artillery School, certificates of graduation were presented by Brig. Gen. Frank S. Clark, USA.

These graduates were recommended for appointment as Staff Sergeants in their various specialties. Their warrants were presented at the graduation exercises. Each of the men whose name heads the various groups was the ranking student in his particular group.

REGULAR ARMY

Electrical Class

Harbor Defense Electrician: Frederick Bohl, Steward E. Cameron, John J. Krasman, Elmore H. Matheson, Louis W. Kolumbus, Edward J. Ruta, Adolph O. Groves, Wendell P. Moorehead, Mike Kachmarik, J. I. Etheridge.

Fire Control Electrician (AA): Henry A. Mohr, Claude B. Bohannon, Melvin W. Moore, Edward P. DeLeon, Robert E. Campbell, Gus W. Harrell.

Searchlight Electrician (AA): Frederick A. Linger, Harry H. Ricker, Jr., Roy E. Lee, Henry Majeski, Stanton Hughes, Edward J. Morrison, Russell W. Craig, Joseph Vidunas, Meryl E. McConaughy, Earl E. Snow, Jr., Harvey P. Cannon, Elliott B. Hill.

NATIONAL GUARD

Anti-aircraft Searchlight Electricians: William B. Mullen, Harry M. Carpenter, David B. Smith, Maxwell J. Feuerman.

Anti-aircraft Fire Control Electricians: Robert F. Wilhelm.

Backs Army Promotion Plan

The War Department Sub-committee of the House Committee on Appropriations has no intention of interfering with the new Army promotion policy by restricting funds for pay and allowances in the 1942 War Department Appropriation Bill, Chairman J. Buell Snyder, Pa., said this week. "As a matter of fact," Mr. Snyder said, "I am well pleased with the new promotion program."

The chairman said his committee had asked the department how much the new program will cost but said the group had sought these figures solely for information and not with any intention of curtailing appropriations to be made available. "We just like to keep informed of what is being done, especially regarding new expenditures," he said.

Navy Personnel Transfers

Until further notice, the transfer of enlisted Navy personnel from forces afloat will, in general, be ordered by rating and not by name, the Bureau of Navigation said this week. Fleet Reservists and appropriate Naval Reserve classes are covered by the new policy.

OBITUARIES

Col. James A. Moss, USA-Ret., was killed in an automobile accident in New York City on 23 April. He was 64 years old at the time of his death.

Colonel Moss enlisted in the Iowa Infantry Volunteers in 1898 and the following year enlisted in the Regular Army. He was commissioned a second lieutenant of Infantry in 1900. In 1903 he was ordered to the Philippine Islands and later saw service at various stations in

continental United States and in Alaska and the Panama Canal Zone. During the World War he served in France at General Intermediate Supply Depot No. 3 and after the Armistice was transferred to London, England, where he served as commanding officer of the American Graves Registration Service. Since the war he served at a number of stations in the United States.

Colonel Moss was promoted to lieutenant colonel (temporary) during the World War. He was promoted to major, Regular Army, in 1920; to lieutenant colonel later in the same year, and to colonel in 1930.

Honors usually reserved for the highest dignitaries were accorded 12 May to Capt. Rafael Suarez-Rivas Morales of the Bolivian Army who was killed during a

good-will flight when his airplane crashed at Washington Airport on Thursday, 8 May. At 1:03 P.M. 12 May a flying fortress of the United States Army soared from Bolling Field in Washington, District of Columbia to take the body to La Paz, Bolivia.

The funeral and honor ceremonies, sponsored by the War Department, were among the most elaborate held in Washington in recent years. Scores of members of the diplomatic corps, high ranking officers of the Army and Navy, foreign military attaches, officials of the State Department, and civil officials participated.

The most Reverend John F. O'Hara, C.S.C., Auxiliary Bishop of the Catholics of the Army and Navy, and Chaplain William R. Arnold, Chief of Chaplains of the United States Army, who is of the Catho-

lic faith, officiated at the funeral service held in the Post Chapel at Ft. Myer, Va. They were assisted by Chaplain Speer Strahan, Catholic Chaplain of Ft. Myer, and Chaplain Joseph F. Donoghue, Catholic Chaplain of Bolling Field.

Six non-commissioned officers of the Washington Provisional Brigade of the United States Army carried the coffin containing the body into the chapel. Behind them marched six honorary pallbearers from the office of Major General Henry H. Arnold, Chief of the Air Corps of the United States Army. They were: Maj. Ellwood R. Quesada, Maj. Leland D. Crawford, Capt. James C. Barlow, Capt. Herford T. Cowling, 1st Lt. Buren R. Thorman, and 1st Lt. Hule A. Smith.

The flag of Bolivia was draped over the gray coffin. An Army band played the hymn, "Abide With Me."

Births • Marriages • Deaths

(No charge for service notices in this column. Please notify promptly.)

Born

ARNOLD—Born at Ft. Amador, C. Z., 1 May 1941, to Lt. and Mrs. Henry H. Arnold, Jr., USA, a son, Henry H. Arnold, 3rd, grandson of Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Henry H. Arnold, USA, and of Mr. and Mrs. James Hickey, of New York.

BARNARD—Born at Station Hospital, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., 19 April 1941, to Lt. and Mrs. H. P. Barnard, Jr., AC, USA, a daughter, Judith Chase.

BEISHLINE—Born at the Post Hospital at West Point, N. Y., 10 May 1941, to Capt. and Mrs. John R. Beishline, FA, USA, a daughter, Joanna Christine.

BORDEN—Born at Schofield Barracks Hospital, Oahu, T. H., 23 April 1941, to Capt. and Mrs. Richard R. Borden, AC, USA, a daughter, Margaret Nancy.

CHESLEY—Born at Station Hospital, Ft. Benning, Ga., 9 May 1941, to Lt. and Mrs. Walden A. Chesley, Inf., USA, a daughter, Patricia Ross; granddaughter of Col. and Mrs. William T. Hendley, USMC-Ret.

HOYLE—Born at Columbia, S. C., 4 May 1941, to Mr. and Mrs. John Guilfoyle Hoyle, a daughter, Linda Christine Hoyle; granddaughter of Brig. Gen. and Mrs. R. E. DeRussy Hoyle, Ft. Bragg, N. C., and Mrs. Walter Barton, Washington, D. C.

KING—Born at Ft. Sill, Okla., 8 May 1941, to Capt. and Mrs. Harrison King, FA, USA, a son, Mrs. King is the daughter of the late Col. James J. O'Hara and Mrs. William H. Cowles of Washington, D. C.

LEETERS—Born at the Community Hospital, Battle Creek, Mich., 17 April 1941, to 1st Lt. and Mrs. Bernard G. Leeters, Inf., USA, a daughter, Barbara Ann.

MENELIS—Born at Sternberg General Hospital, Manila, P. I., 30 March 1941, to Capt. and Mrs. Russell McNellis, VC, USA, a daughter, Joan May.

MARSHALL—Born at Long Island College Hospital, Brooklyn, N. Y., 12 May 1941, to Mr. and Mrs. St. Julien Ravenel Marshall, Jr., a daughter, Louise Ravenel. Mrs. Marshall is the former Miss Rebecca Fiske, daughter of Col. and Mrs. Harold C. Fiske, CE, USA-Ret., Manhasset, N. Y.

MEANS—Born at the station hospital, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., 10 May 1941, to Lt. and Mrs. H. M. Means, USA, a daughter, Patience Alston; granddaughter of Maj. and Mrs. R. L. Williamson, AC, USA.

MEANS—Born at the Norton Memorial Infirmary, Louisville, Ky., 6 May 1941, to Capt. and Mrs. William Bradford Means, USA, a daughter, Elizabeth Kathryn; granddaughter of Col. and Mrs. C. E. McCarthy, Inf., USA.

PALMER—Born at the Phillips House, Boston, Mass., 28 April 1941, to Capt. and Mrs. Jay James Palmer, MC, USA, a daughter, Diana Margaret.

SHAUGHNESSY—Born at Mennonite Hospital, Bloomington, Ill., 21 April 1941, to Lt. and Mrs. Donald J. Shaughnessy, 129th Inf., Camp Forrest, Tenn., a daughter, Harriet Suzanne; great-granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph F. Bradford, Pontiac, Ill.; Mrs. Shaughnessy is a niece of the late Lt. Ralph Friend Bradford, Jr., USN.

SMITH—Born at Cristobal, C. Z., 8 April 1941, to 2nd Lt. and Mrs. Page Egerton Smith, USA, a daughter, Laura Egerton; granddaughter of Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Walter D. Smith, and the late Mr. John Cousineau Armstrong and Mrs. Armstrong of Washington, D. C.

STRAUSS—Born at Kings Daughters Hospital, Portsmouth, Va., 11 May 1941, to Capt. and Mrs. R. H. Strauss, AC, USA, a daughter;

granddaughter of Capt. and Mrs. John J. O'Malley, (MC), USN, and Col. and Mrs. Harold A. Strauss, AC, USA.

WARREN—Born at the station hospital, Ft. Benning, Ga., 9 May 1941, to Tech. Sgt. and Mrs. Abbott A. Warren, 14th QMB, 2d Armored Div., a son.

Married

ADAMS-CLARK—Married in Olympia, Wash., 1 May 1941, 2nd Lt. Marguerita E. Clark, ANC, daughter of Mrs. E. H. Clark, of Portland, Ore., to Lt. Morgan K. Adams, MC, USA.

ARBENZ-BARNES—Married at the Chevy Chase Methodist Church, Washington, D. C., 11 May 1941, Miss Ruth Robinson Barnes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herschel B. Barnes, of Fairmont, W. Va., to Lt. Herman Leonard Arbenz, USA.

CHILDS-WICHUM—Married at the Lutheran Church of the Redeemer, Brooklyn, N. Y., 10 May 1941, Miss Carolyn Georgene Wichum, daughter of Capt. and Mrs. Victor Wichum, USA, to Capt. Jefferson Davis Childs, (INF.) OD, USA.

DICKERSON-NIEDERPRUEM—Married at Post Chapel, Ft. Benning, Ga., 7 May 1941, Miss Jeanne Alice Niederpruem, daughter of Lt. Col. and Mrs. William J. Niederpruem, Inf., USA, to Lt. Robert Lewis Dickerson, 29th Inf., USA.

HENDERSON - GRIFFITH—Married in the chapel at Ft. Bliss, Tex., 12 May 1941, Miss Mary Alice Griffith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Griffith, of Clarksburg, W. Va., to Lt. John Ray Henderson, USA, son of Mrs. Jane Ray Allen, of Washington, D. C., and A. M. Henderson, of Camp Holabird, Md.

HILLARD-TUPPER—Married in the chapel of St. Peters Church, St. Louis, Mo., 30 April 1941, Miss Jane Sevier Tupper, daughter of Lt. Col. and Mrs. Sevier R. Tupper, USA, to Lt. George Oliver Hillard, Jr., Inf., USA.

JAMERSON - ELLERSON—Married at Richmond, Va., 3 May 1941, Miss Mary Patterson Ellerson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Watkins Ellerson, of Richmond, Va., to Mr. Osmond Tower Jamerson, son of Brig. Gen. and Mrs. George H. Jamerson, USA-Ret.

MERIVALE-ADRIANCE—Married in Boston, Mass., 3 May 1941, Miss Jane Sterling Adriance, daughter of Mrs. Henry James White, wife of Lieutenant Commander White, USN, to Mr. Jack Merivale.

PATTERSON-FOX—Married in the Trinity Methodist Church, Newport News, Va., Miss Marjorie Virginia Fox, to Lt. John Gordon Patterson, AC, USA.

ROGERS-RUBENS—Married in the chapel of the Church of the Transfiguration, New York City, 19 April 1941, Miss Joan Frances Rubens, daughter of the late Col. and Mrs. Horatio Seymour Rubens, USA, to Mr. Frank Vernon Rogers, son of Mrs. Rogers and the Wilson Dorr Rogers, of Weymouth, Mass.

SCHERER-PALMER—Married in the Christ Church, Cambridge, Mass., 25 April 1941, Miss Marjorie Clark Palmer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Woodbury Palmer, of Belmont, Mass., to Mr. George Fulford Scherer, son of the late Col. and Mrs. Charles Louis Scherer, USA, and brother of Capt. Karl Scherer, USA, of Ft. Knox, Ky.

WEAVER-TOMBRINK—Married at the Perpetuo Socorro Church, San Juan, P. R., 17 April 1941, Miss Adela Marie Tombrink, daughter of Martin Joseph Tombrink, of Omaha, Neb., to Ensign James Baird Weaver, USCG, grandson of the late Gen. James Baird Weaver, USA.

Died

ALDEN—Died at her home in Norfolk, Va., 1 May 1941, Henrietta Louise Alden, widow of Burton H. Alden; mother of Comdr. George A. Alden, (MC), USN.

BURDELL—Died at Fitzsimons General Hospital, Denver, Col., 3 May 1941, Mrs. W. J. Burdell, wife of Maj. William J. Burdell, MC, USA-Ret.

CALLAWAY—Died at Los Altos, Calif., 10 May 1941, Maj. Lambert S. Callaway, AC, USA. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Lambert S. Callaway, of Moffett Field, Calif.

EMERSON—Died in Philadelphia, Pa., Mr. Victor Lee Emerson, father of Mrs. Walton H. Walker, wife of Col. W. H. Walker, Inf., USA; and Mrs. Edward H. Hicks, wife of Lt. Col. E. H. Hicks, USA-Ret., Purdue University, Lafayette, Ind.

EYSINGER—Died at the Naval Hospital, Mare Island, Calif., 9 May 1941, Chief Pay Clerk Carl Michael Eysinger, USN-Ret. He is survived by his daughter, Jean Gregory Eysinger, 16 Calving Court, Bradford, Pa.

FLETCHER—Died at Carlisle, Pa., 10 May 1941, Lt. Col. John P. Fletcher, USA-Ret. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Jeannette M. Fletcher, of 520 West South Street, Carlisle, Pa.

GLEASON—Died at Fitzsimons General Hospital, Denver, Col., 12 May 1941, Lt. (Jg) Francis Gorman Gleason, (MC), USN-Ret. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Mary M. Gleason, of 2909 Elm Street, Denver, Col., and three children, Mary Margaret, Francis Gorman, and Lawrence David Gleason.

GUDGER—Died at the Naval Hospital, Washington, D. C., 30 May 1941, Capt. Emmet Carlyle Gudger, (SC), USN-Ret. He is survived by his wife, Genevieve Walsh Gudger, 1661 Crescent Place, N. W., Washington, D. C., and two daughters, Eleanor and Gloria Gudger.

HAYDEN—Died at Gary, Ind., 10 May 1941, Mrs. Hazel MacNair Hayden, wife of Lt. Col. Chacey H. Hayden, Inf., USA. She is survived by a daughter, Mrs. William T. Hutchison, of Portland, Ore., and a son, Dewey Paine. Interment at Portland, Ore.

HOPKE—Died at his home at Holden, Mass., 7 April 1941, 1st Lt. George W. Hopke, USMC-Ret.

MCDONNELL—Died at the Naval Hospital, Mare Island, Calif., 11 May 1941, Capt. William Neil McDonnell, USN-Ret. He is survived by his wife, Hildegard Gertrude McDonnell, 130 Palm Avenue, San Rafael, Calif., and by two children, Neil John McDonnell and Janet Mathilda McDonnell.

ORTH—Died at the Southwestern Hospital, Lawton, Okla., 9 May 1941, Robert Carl Orth, Jr., infant son of 1st Lt. and Mrs. Robert C. Orth, AC, USA, Ft. Sill, Okla.

SEVERSON—Died at Chicago, Ill., 4 May 1941, Mr. Olaf E. Severson, father of Col. Charles F. Severson, Inf., USA.

SHAW—Died at Kankakee, Ill., 1 May 1941, Eliza J. Shaw, mother of Capt. Norman M. Shaw, USMC-Ret.

SMITH—Died at Station Hospital, Fort Jay, N. Y., 12 May 1941, Mrs. Mary Smith Long, daughter of Warrant Officer and Mrs. John Smith, USA, chief clerk of the Enlisted Records Division at Second Corps Area Headquarters, Governors Island, N. Y.

THOMAS—Died in the Army and Navy General Hospital, Hot Springs, Ark., 11 May 1941, Col. Robert S. Thomas, CE, USA. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Eleanor Thomas of Memphis, Tenn.

Army Orders

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2nd Lt. John C. O'Byrne, 22 May, to off. AGD, Wash., D. C.
 1st Lt. William D. Thompson, 2 June, to Philippine Dept., sail San Fran., 5 June.
 1st Lt. Richard S. Bowles, 23 May, to QM Depot, Jeffersonville, Ind.
 Lt. Col. Ernest L. Osborne, 12 May, to staff and faculty, Ft. Sill, Okla.
 Following 2nd Lts., prior orders revoked: to Philippine Dept., 5 June: Arthur R. Connell, Hubert V. Glendenning.
 2nd Lt. Ira LeR. Armstrong, 23 May, to asst. to const. QM, Coosa River Ord. Plant, Talladega, Ala.
 1st Lt. Walter L. Hardy, 20 May, to Wright Fld., O.
 1st Lt. Frederick M. Fowkes, 26 May, to QM Depot, Chicago, Ill.
 1st Lt. Harvey A. Wilkes, 1 June, to asst. to const. QM, Zone 7, Omaha, Neb.
 1st Lt. Robert E. Haythorne, 26 May, to off. Under Sec. War, Wash., D. C.
 1st Lt. Charles S. Vanderblue, 1 June, to CSO, Wash., D. C.
 2nd Lt. William F. Berg, 1 July, to asst. to const. QM, Ord. Works, Morgantown, W. Va.
 Capt. Chester W. Cohagan, 17 May, to recreational area, Jacksonville, Fla.
 1st Lt. Ernest R. Golladay, 21 May, to QM Market Ctr., San Francisco, Calif.
 1st Lt. Richard H. Heinlen, 28 May, to asst. const. QM, Camp Shelby, Miss.

Extended Active Duty, CA

Capt. Frank A. Tebo, 18 June, to asst. to const. QM, Zone 3, Baltimore, Md.
 Capt. John R. McCrory, 22 May, to off. Under Sec. War, Wash., D. C.
 1st Lt. Bernard E. Babcock, 20 May, to off. C. Morale Branch, Wash., D. C.
 2nd Lt. Henry E. Mickelsen, prior orders revoked: 31 May, to Philippine Dept., sail San Fran., 5 June.
 Capt. Frank Giovannini, 23 May, to asst. to const. QM, Zone 9, San Fran., Calif.
 1st Lt. Gordon E. Keen, 10 May, to C. of AC, Wash., D. C.
 2nd Lt. Ivan E. Parsons, jr., 21 May, to off. QMG, Wash., D. C.
 Maj. Homer LeR. McLaughlin, 27 May, to asst. to const. QM, Zone 9, San Fran., Calif.
 2nd Lt. Lawton Del. Geiger, 27 May, to asst. to const. QM, Wold Creek Ord. Plant, Milan, Tenn.
 2nd Lt. Martin K. Barrett, prior orders amended to asst. to const. QM, Zone 7, Omaha, Neb., 26 April.

Extended Active Duty, Inf.

Capt. Burriss E. Claypool, 22 May, to Inf. Sch. Serv. Comm., Ft. Benning, Ga.
 Capt. Lester M. Adams, 22 May, to Inf. Sch. Serv. Comm., Ft. Benning, Ga.
 1st Lt. Hugh H. Schmidt, 22 May, to asst. to const. QM, Zone 8, San Antonio, Tex.
 Capt. Jack M. Parker, prior orders revoked: 31 May, to Philippine Dept., sail San Fran., 5 June.
 1st Lt. John P. Dart, 23 May, to Air Depot, Ogden, Utah.
 Capt. Clarke E. Donnigan, 23 May, to Inf. Sch. Serv. Comm., Ft. Benning, Ga.
 2nd Lt. Floyd F. Hedlund, 12 May, to QMG, Wash., D. C.
 1st Lt. Robert E. Bibby, 23 May, to Wright Fld., O.

1st Lt. Peter M. Miller, jr., 12 May, to QM Depot, New Orleans, La.
 1st Lt. Joe C. Robinson, 23 May, to asst. to const. QM, Zone 5, Columbus.

1st Lt. Dale C. L. Honeycutt, 1 June, to Air Depot, Brookley Fld., Ala.
 1st Lt. Herma L. Weary, prior orders revoked.

2nd Lt. Robert A. Vaughan, 24 May, to C. of AC, Wash., D. C.
 Capt. Herbert P. Dunlap, 1 July, to Inf. Sch. Serv. Comm., Ft. Benning, Ga.

Lt. Col. Albert B. Kellogg, 20 May, to Army War College, Wash., D. C.
 Capt. Gordon G. Bushey, 2 June, to Holabird QM Depot, Baltimore, Md.

1st Lt. James F. Seals, 2 June, to QM Depot, Atlanta, Ga.
 2nd Lt. Eugene M. Stover, 26 May, to QM Depot, Jeffersonville, Ind.

1st Lt. Robert A. McGhee, 26 May, to off. C. of AC, Wash., D. C.
 Maj. Antonio A. Aler, 27 May, to Holabird QM Depot, Baltimore, Md.

Capt. Clarence W. Reddin, 3 June, to Holabird QM Depot, Baltimore, Md.
 Capt. Fred A. Cooley, 3 June, to Wright Fld., O.

Maj. Ralph M. Tenny, 19 May, to Recreational Area, Wilmington, N. C.
 Capt. John B. Shephard, 17 May, to Recreational Area, Wilmington, N. C.

1st Lt. Frank M. Davenport, 17 May, to Recreational Area, St. Augustine, Fla.
 1st Lt. Robert Bently, 28 May, to asst. to const. QM, Zone 5, Columbus, O.

1st Lt. Beyrl E. Howard, 28 May, to asst. to const. QM, Zone 7, Omaha, Neb.
 1st Lt. Charles N. Cairns, 13 July, to Philippine Dept., sail San Fran., 17 July.

Extended Active Duty, AC

1st Lt. Wallace W. Dreyfoos, 23 May, to

AC Advanced Flying Sch., Mather Fld., Calif.
 2nd Lt. Orville B. Ross, 10 May, to Randolph Fld., Tex.

1st Lt. J. W. Hinton, 23 May, to Randolph Fld., Tex.
 Capt. Joseph A. McNulty, 23 May, to Langley Fld., Va.

Maj. Chester A. Snow, 10 May, to off. C. of S., Wash., D. C.
 Maj. Louis C. Geisendorf, prior orders revoked.

Capt. John E. Albert, prior orders amended: to MacDill Fld., Fla.
 2nd Lt. Harry H. Dunham, 17 May, to Chanute Fld., Ill.

Capt. Robert H. Wheat, 27 May, to Wright Fld., O.
 Capt. Matthew H. Cannon, 28 May, to Barrage Balloon Sch., Camp Davis, N. C.

2nd Lt. Gerald J. Grosson, 28 May, to Langley Fld., Va.
 1st Lt. William L. Van Dusen, 28 May, to San Diego, Calif.

Extended Active Duty, Spec.-Res.

Maj. John E. Russell, 13 May, to off. Under Sec. War, Wash., D. C.
 Maj. James F. Hodgson, 16 May, to off. Under Sec. War, Wash., D. C.

Maj. Charles B. Watkins, 23 May, to off. Under Sec. War, Wash., D. C.
 Maj. Charles W. Glanz, prior orders amended: to Dayton, O.

Capt. Warren G. Nichols, 29 May, to Mitchell Fld., N. Y.
 Continued on Active Duty

Capt. Lawrence M. Thomas, AC, Langley Fld., Va.
 1st Lt. James C. Barham, AC, Ft. Sill, Okla.

1st Lt. James E. Vickers, MC, Ft. Missoula, Montana.
 Following off., sta. ind.: Lt. Col. George W. Hinman, jr., AGD off., Wash., D. C.

Capt. James F. Clark, MC, Army and Navy Gen. Hosp., Hot Springs, National Park, Ark.; 1st Lt. James C. McIntyre, VC, Maxwell Fld., Ala.; 1st Lt. Ralph D. Barner, VC, Ft. Leavenworth, Kans.; 1st Lt. William R. T. Oakes, DC, Langley Fld., Va.

1st Lt. John R. Clawson, DC, Hamilton Fld., Calif.; Ch. (1st Lt.) Oscar W. Schoech, FC, Knox, Ky.; 1st Lt. Howard E. Nestlerode, Jr., SC, Ft. Jackson, S. C.; 1st Lt. Thomas B. Seay, DC, Panama Canal Dept.

Following off., sta. ind.: Lt. Col. Arthur B. Monoske, OD, off. C. of O., Wash., D. C.; Maj. Horace E. Stout, OD, Ft. George G. Meade, Md.; Capt. Sidney J. Michael, VC, Front Royal QM Depot, Va.; Capt. Peder G. Pettersen, QMC, off. QMG, Wash., D. C.; Capt. Edward E. Johnston, MC, Ft. Knox, Ky.

Ch. (Capt.) Eugene L. Nixon, Ft. Jackson, S. C.; 1st Lt. Belmont P. Goethe, AGD, Camp Bowie, Tex.; 1st Lt. Richard Hume, Cav., off. C. of AC, Wash., D. C.; 1st Lt. William F. Register, jr., OD, Hawaiian Dept.

Capt. John M. Schultz, MC, Tilton Gen. Hosp., Ft. Dix, N. J.
 Following off., AC-Res., Hawaiian Dept.: 1st Lt. William F. Savoie, 1st Lt. Leslie R. Bratton, 1st Lt. Bascom A. Brooks, 2nd Lt. Ellis W. Wright, jr.

The following 2nd Lts., at sta. ind.: Clair E. Back, Gunter Fld., Ala.; Leon L. Lowry, Moffett Fld., Calif.; Dale Lasselle, MacDill Fld., Fla.; John E. Murray, Ft. Knox, Ky.; George H. McBride, Ft. Knox, Ky.; Charles C. Corbin, Ft. Knox, Ky.; Raymond T. Eakes, Ft. Knox, Ky.; and Richard L. Ault, King City, Calif.

Following off., Air-Res., at Langley Fld., Va.: 1st Lt. Kirkwood Otey, III, 2nd Lt. Frederick W. Baggott, 2nd Lt. Alfred J. Ball, jr., 2nd Lt. Robert L. Coffey, jr., 2nd Lt. Wade K. Porman, 2nd Lt. Marion H. Foster, jr., 2nd Lt. Joseph K. Kirkup, 2nd Lt. Robert E. McKenna, 2nd Lt. Robert L. Nelson, 2nd Lt. Leonard Shapiro, 2nd Lt. Hallock P. K. Walsley, and 2nd Lt. Roland M. Wilcox.

Following off., Med.-Res., at sta. ind.: Capt. John F. Breslin, Philippine Dept.; Capt. Charles T. Brown, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.; Capt. Elmer L. Davis, Brooks, Fld., Tex.; Capt. Louis Fishman, Ft. Barrancas, Fla.; Capt. Charles J. Fogarty, Sikeston, Mo.; Capt. Melvin W. Thorne, Randolph Fld., Tex.; 1st Lt. William R. Brenner, Hamilton Fld., Calif.; 1st Lt. James A. Brinson, Hawaiian Dept.; 1st Lt. Robert H. Brooks, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.; 1st Lt. Emil S. Danishek, Vancouver Bks., Wash.; 1st Lt. Lewis A. Datz, Ft. Logan, Colo.; 1st Lt. N. Robert Drummond, Randolph Fld., Tex.; 1st Lt. Samuel T. Mangimelli, Panama Canal Dept.; 1st Lt. Robert D. McKee, Hawaiian Dept.; 1st Lt. Joe D. Schutz, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.; and 1st Lt. Robert C. Seibly, Camp Sibert, Nev.

Short Term Active Duty

Maj. Harvey D. Eaton, jr., CE-Res., 16 May, to Eng. Procurement dist., N. Y., to 29 May.

Capt. David R. Potter, JAGD-Res., 1 July, to JAG, Wash., D. C., until 28 July.

Capt. Arthur F. Dias, SC-Res., 1 June, to Camp Edwards, Mass., until 28 May.

2nd Lt. Elmer W. Dogge, 1 June, to 57th Sig. Bn., Camp Edwards, Mass., until 28 June.

2nd Lt. Edward J. Manley, SC-Res., 1 June, to 57th Sig. Bn., Camp Edwards, Mass., until 28 June.

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1st Lt. John F. Allen, SC-Res., 1 June, to 51st Sig. Bn., Ft. Dix, N. J., until 28 June.

Following off. SC-Res., 1 June, to 50th Sig. Bn., Camp Forrest, Tenn., until 28 June: Capt. Raymond Schaublin, 1st Lt. Warren M. Henley.

Following off., SC-Res., 1 June, to 60th Sig. Bn., Hunter Liggett Mill, Res., Calif., until 28 June: Capt. Leonard Hammond, 1st Lt. Lloyd T. Goldsmith, 2nd Lt. Jules Buck, 2nd Lt. Edwin B. Levinson, 2nd Lt. Matthew M. Sperling, 2nd Lt. Jack M. Warner.

1st Lt. Harold J. Dezell, SC-Res., 1 June, to 50th Sig. Bn., Camp Forrest, Tenn., until 28 June.

1st Lt. Charles D. Gould, SC-Res., 1 June, to 1st Sig. Co., Ft. Devens, Mass., until 28 June.

1st Lt. Scott A. Hutchinson, SC-Res., 1 June, to 26th Sig. Bn., Camp Edwards, Mass., until 28 June.

1st Lt. Daniel T. Galvin, SC-Res., 1 June, to 26th Sig. Co., Camp Edwards, Mass., until 28 June.

1st Lt. George A. Gardner, SC-Res., 1 June, to 26th Sig. Co., Camp Edwards, Mass., until 28 June.

2nd Lt. Ernest H. Gill, SC-Res., 18 May, to 51st Sig. Bn., Ft. Dix, N. J., until 14 June.

2nd Lt. Walter A. Richardson, jr., SC-Res., 18 May, to 44th Sig. Co., Ft. Dix, N. J., until 14 June.

2nd Lt. Kenneth D. Kile, SC-Res., 1 June, to 58th Sig. Bn., Camp Forrest, Tenn., until 28 June.

1st Lt. James T. Neiswinger, SC-Res., 1 June, to 57th Sig. Bn., Camp Edwards, Mass., until 28 June.

1st Lt. Jesse W. Billings, SC-Res., 1 June, to 57th Sig. Bn., Camp Edwards, Mass., until 28 June.

1st Lt. Emory V. Donelson, SC-Res., 1 June, to 50th Sig. Bn., Camp Forrest, Tenn., until 28 June.

Capt. Joseph E. Sweets, SC-Res., 1 June, to 50th Sig. Bn., Camp Forrest, Tenn., until 28 June.

Maj. Clarence L. Williams, AGD-Res., 12 May, to off. AG, Wash., D. C., until 11 December.

1st Lt. Herbert R. Luginbuhl, SC-Res., 1 June, to 5th Sig. Co., Cumberland Springs, Tenn., until 28 June.

1st Lt. Walter Lenahan, SC-Res., 1 June, to 51st Sig. Bn., Ft. Dix, N. J., until 28 June.

1st Lt. George A. Bungarda, SC-Res., 1 June, to 5th Sig. Co., Cumberland Springs, Tenn., until 28 June.

2nd Lt. Clark I. Elwood, SC-Res., 1 June, to 30th Sig. Co., Camp Forrest, Tenn., until 28 June.

Navy Orders

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Lt. Henry W. Bresslet, 19 May, to Bur. of Yds. and Docks.
 Lt. William S. LaLonde, jr., 9 June, to Navy Yd., Brooklyn, N. Y.

Lt. Robert B. Morris, 19 May, to Naval Station, Key West, Fla.
 Lt. Philip J. Riley, as soon as pract., to 13th Naval Dist., Seattle, Wash.

Lt. (jg) John J. Bohan, to 13th Naval Dist., Seattle, Wash.
 Lt. (jg) James G. Crooks, 2 June, to Bur. of Yds. and Docks, Navy Dept.

Lt. (jg) Angelo F. Ghigliione, to 13th Naval Dist., Seattle, Wash.
 Lt. (jg) William F. King, 2 June, to Bur. of Yds. and Docks, Navy Dept.

Lt. (jg) Andrew N. Wegner, 19 May, to Navy Yd., Washington, D. C.
 Ens. Victor G. Stevens, 30 April, to Bu. of Yds. and Docks, Navy Dept.

Ens. Robert C. Wallish, 2 June to NAS, Pensacola, Fla.

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Lt. Comdr. Sydney S. Bunting, det. USS Arkansas in Mar. or Apr.; to CO, USS Rapidan.

Lt. Comdr. John P. Fitzsimmons, det. Pat. Sqdn. 12; to CO, Pat. Sqdn. 12.

Lt. Comdr. Thomas H. Hederman, ors. 22 Mar. to Bu. Nav., Navy Dept., revoked. Det. CO, USS Downes, in May; to Staff, Cdr., Battle Force.

Lt. Comdr. Perley E. Pendleton, det. CO, USS Lamson, abt. 1 July; to Exec. Off., USS Holland.

Lt. Comdr. Irving D. Wiltzie, det. NAS, San Diego, Calif., abt. 1 June; to USS Yorktown.

Lt. Gordon T. House, ors. 26 Mar. to O. in C., Branch Hydro. Off., New Orleans, La., modifi. to NAS, Jacksonville, Fla.

Lt. Stephen N. Tackney, det. USS McCall abt. 20 Mar.; to Exec. Off., USS Hull.

Lt. (jg) Richard L. Barkley, det. NAS, Lakewood, N. J., abt. 15 June; to Asiatic Flt. Ens. Wayne Hoof, det. USS Dale in Apr.; to temp. duty, 12th Nav. Dist.

Lt. (jg) John D. Hewitt, III, (SC), det. Mine Div. 2 in Apr.; to Asiatic Flt.
 Mach. William E. Shelton, det. USS New Mexico abt. 15 Apr.; to NAS, Kodiak, Alaska.
 Ch. Pay Clk. Arthur Lyell, det. USS Tusca-

loosa in Mar.; to 3rd Nav. Dist.

Comdr. Walter G. Thomson, D-V(G), det. Nav. Res. Midshipmen Sch., New York, N. Y., in June; to Instn., Nav. War College, Newport, R. I.

Lt. Comdr. Walter J. Harrison, DE-O, det. 8th Nav. Dist.; to Asst. Director Nav. Res. 8th Nav. Dist.

Lt. Comdr. Ernest B. Milan, MC-V(S), det. NAS, Jacksonville, Fla.; to conn. est. NAS, Jacksonville, Fla.; and duty that began when est.

Lt. Marcellus B. Johnson, A-O, ors. 30 Apr. to NAS, Jacksonville, Fla., modifi. Det. NAS, Anacostia, D. C.; to Bu. Aero., Navy Dept.

Lt. James A. Lamphier, MC-V(S), det. Sch. Hosp., Chelsea, Mass., 12 May; to Nav. Hosp., Newport, R. I.

Lt. (jg) Harry L. Benson, MC-V(G), det. Nav. Hosp., Chelsea, Mass., abt. 12 May; to Nav. Hosp., Newport, R. I.

Lt. (jg) David F. McKenney, SC-M, det. Instn., Supply Corps Nav. Res. Off., Sch. Wash., D. C., in May; to NAS, Kodiak, Alaska.

Lt. (jg) Raymond P. Murphy, CEC-V, det. Bu. Y. & D., Navy Dept.; to conn. Mak. Brks., New River, N. C.

Lt. (jg) James M. Peters, MC-V(G), det. Nav. Hosp., Chelsea, Mass., abt. 12 May; to Nav. Hosp., Newport, R. I.

Lt. (jg) Ernst Schmidhofer, MC-V(S), det. Nav. Hosp., Chelsea, Mass., abt. 12 May; to Nav. Hosp., Newport, R. I.

Lt. (jg) Eugene D. Schunke, SC-O, det. Instn., Supply Corps Nav. Res. Off., Sch. Wash., D. C., in May; to 10th Nav. Dist.

Ens. John H. Alexander, SC-O, det. Instn., Supply Corps Nav. Res. Off., Sch. Wash., D. C., in May; to USS Alcor.

Ens. Elliott Bloxom, D-V(P), det. 5th Nav. Dist.; to Nav. Net Depot, Yorktown, Va.

Ens. Eugene L. Halsey, SC-V(G), det. Instn., Supply Corps Nav. Res. Off., Sch. Wash., D. C., in May; to conn. est. Section Base, Cape May, N. J., and duty that began when est.

Ens. Stoddard J. Small, SC-V(S), det. Instn., Supply Corps Nav. Res. Off., Sch. Wash., D. C., in May; to Staff, Navy Supply Corps Sch., Harvard Univ., Cambridge, Mass.

Ens. Winston Oliver Smith, E-V(S), det. office Insp. Matl., Atlanta, Ga., in June; to office, Resident Insp. Nav. Matl., Birmingham, Ala.

Ens. Quentin R. Thomson, DE-V(G), det. Instn., Pa. State College, State College, Pa., abt. 27 Apr.; to USS S-1.

Ens. Bex A. Trimble, jr., D-V(S), det. Nav. Trng. Sta., Great Lakes, Ill., in May; to Yd., Charleston, S. C.

Ens. William Wilcox, DE-V(G), det. Instn., Pa. State College, State College, Pa., abt. 27 Apr.; to USS S-21.

Ens. Kent M. Cushman, A-V(N), det. Instn., NAS, Miami, Fla.; to Torp. Sqdn. 5, (USS Yorktown).

Ens. Richard M. Deavitt, A-V(N), det. Instn., NAS, Miami, Fla.; to NAS, Pensacola, Fla.

Ens. Paul W. Kimball, jr., A-V(N), det. Instn., NAS, Pensacola, Fla.; to Pat. Sqdn. 52.

Ens. Charles H. F. McLevedge, A-V(S), det. Instn., NAS, Pensacola, Fla.; to Pat. Sqdn. 53.

Ens. Max C. Replogle, A-V(N), det. Instn., NAS, Miami, Fla.; to duty, NAS, Miami, Fla.

Ens. A-V(N), det. Instn., NAS, Pensacola, Fla.; to duty, NAS, Pensacola, Fla.; Gary W. Bishop, Paul J. Davis, jr., Adrian C. Dawson, Glenn A. Foy, John L. Gallahar, John V. Miller, William W. Pulliam.

Mary R. Genest, Nurse, det. Nav. Hosp., Puget Sound, Wash.; to NAS, Kodiak, Alaska.
 Edith Locke, Res. Nurse, to Nav. Hosp., San Diego, Calif.

Louis LeMon Sims, Res. Nurse, to Nav. Hosp., Corpus Christi, Tex.
 Miriam B. Thorp, Nurse, upon disch. from Nav. Hosp., Brooklyn, N. Y.; to duty, Sch. Hosp., Brooklyn, N. Y.

Asiatic Orders

Lt. Comdr. Roy L. Koester, det. 10th Nav. Dist., 7 Apr.; to further trlt., Nav. Hosp., Mare Island, Calif.

Lt. Welford C. Blinn, det. USS Pillsbury abt. 12 Apr.; to CO, USS Pope.

Ens. Richard O. Yeager, to USS Maryland.

Comdr. Raymond M. Bright, (SC), det. 10th Nav. Dist., abt. 12 Apr.; to N. Yd., Mare Island, Calif.

Elec. Walter E. Jarvis, det. USS Houston abt. 18 Apr.; to 16th Nav. Dist.
 Elec. Walter W. Waite, det. 16th Nav. Dist., abt. 12 Apr.; to USS Houston.
 Carp. Dowl V. Emerson, det. USS Langford abt. 12 Apr.; to Rec. Ship, San Francisco, Calif.

Coast Guard Orders

Rear Adm. R. R. Wache, USCG, Comd. Lt. Allen Winbeck, temp. duty San Francisco Dist. Office, made permanent.

The following Cadets, when commissioned, Ensigns, assigned as indicated; granted 30 days leave en route: C. A. Richmond, W. M. Spencer; John Starr, Northland; W. M. Prosser; Duane; H. F. Rohrkemper, Ossipee.

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Scharfstein, Jr., Tallapoosa; R. S. McAdams, Dione; W. R. Lewis, Tahoma; R. P. Kincaid, Galatea; K. R. Goodwin, Haida; W. Kincaid, Galatea; K. N. Ayers, Nike; A. G. Schmidt, Tampa; E. A. Crock, Mott; G. W. Girdler, Escanaba; B. R. Henry, Campbell; L. T. O'Neill, Mohawk.

Lt. Comdr. G. A. Littlefield, orders of 25 April and 8 May, cancelled; det. Cayuga, and assigned Jacksonville Dist., as Director, Coast Guard Auxiliary.

Lt. O. C. Rohnke, det. Saranac, and assigned Maritime Service Training Station, New London, Conn.

Lt. Comdr. A. C. Richmond, det. Headquarters, abt. 13 May, and assigned American as commanding officer when that vessel is placed in commission.

Lt. H. R. Chaffee, det. Hamilton, and assigned American Seaman as engineer officer, report not later than 26 May.

Lt. J. H. Wagline, det. Chelan, and assigned Maritime Service Training Station, Alameda, Calif., as Engineering Instructor.

Lt. M. T. Braswell, det. American Seaman, can relief by Lt. H. R. Chaffee, and assigned Maritime Service Training Station, St. Petersburg, Fla.

Lt. K. O. A. Zittel, det. Onondaga, effective 1st Lt. (jg) G. R. Reynolds, and assigned Maritime Service Training Station, New London, Conn.

Lt. V. C. Gibson, Boston Dist., assigned Station Base, as Commanding Officer.

The following have been commissioned in the U. S. Coast Guard Reserve; assigned as indicated: Lt. (jg) F. W. Welch, Hamilton; Lt. (jg) W. B. Harbeson, New Orleans Dist., assistant to Director, Coast Guard Auxiliary; Lt. (jg) W. S. Vaughn, Campbell; Lt. (jg) A. H. Stewart, Jr., Spencer; Ens. Herbert Edman, Icarus.

Chf. Boats. D. E. Green, det. Marion, effective arrival Ens. R. C. Gould, and assigned Harbasset.

Chf. Boats. A. M. Haynes, det. Carrabasset, abt. 1 June, and assigned New York Dist.

Chf. Gun. E. A. Ninness, det. Tancy, effective completion rearmament, and assigned Matt. Dist.

Pay Clk. R. D. Fritz, det. Cayuga, and assigned Comanche, to report prior to 20 May.

Boats. F. E. DeRosa, det. St. Joseph Station, when directed by Commander, Chicago Dist., and assigned Racine Station as Commanding Officer.

Boats. Sigurd Christianson, det. Colfax, and assigned New York Dist.

Boats. J. J. McSally, Jr., det. Galatea, abt. June, and assigned Colfax.

Boats. T. A. Cosgrove, det. Dione, abt. 31 May, and assigned Carrabasset.

Boats. W. U. Fulcher, det. Crawford, abt. June, and assigned Winnisimmet, as Commanding Officer.

Boats. Fred Edgecomb, det. Kickapoo, and assigned Baritan, to report prior to 20 May.

Mach. (T) Ralph Carson, det. San Diego Station, and assigned Shawnee as engineer.

Gun. R. L. Addy, det. Seattle Dist., upon relief by Chf. Gun. E. A. Ninness, and assigned Tancy.

Pay Clk. Thomas Zeller, det. Itasca, effective decommissioning that vessel, and assigned Los Angeles Dist.

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The War Situation

According to recent reports, the air raids over the British Isles have caused 60,000 casualties, including the civilians, and untold damages to ports and industrial centers. London claims that bombing raids over Germany and occupied countries have been largely effective. The British leaders have promised their people that the time will come when Royal Air Force bombers will return three for one, at which time there will be a marked diminution in the ability of the Nazis to carry on their offensive in the Atlantic and a definite turn in the trend of the war. However, no immediate change in the character of the operations are expected in the Battle of the Atlantic.

It is in the Mediterranean theatre where important decisions are possible within the next few months. In East Africa, the British offensive seems to be nearing an end and has been climaxed by the return of Selassie to his capital of Addis Ababa. It is not known what troops and equipment have been released for other sections of this theatre, but reports continue that the British are assembling a large force in the Basra-Baghdad area of Iraq, not only to throw out the pro-Axis regime in that country but to meet a Nazi thrust through Syria or Turkey. The British report that the situation in Iraq is developing favorably would indicate that the Nazis have not been able to send any effective aid in response to the Iraqis' appeal. Inability of the British to dominate Iraq would be a victory of great importance to Hitler.

Malta, Crete, Cyprus and Alexandria are vital British sea and air bases in protecting their interests in the Eastern Mediterranean. The occupation of a number of Grecian Islands in the Aegean Sea, in addition to the occupation of Greece, by German and Italian forces, may be a part of an Axis plan to capture Crete and Cyprus, to open up a route to Syria, and to support their forces in North Africa by air and submarine forces.

If the Germans and Italians should occupy Crete and Cyprus, they would have two advance bases in the Eastern Mediterranean which would add to the offensive power of their aircraft, submarines and such surface vessels as would dare face the British Fleet.

German aircraft and submarines, based on Crete and Cyprus, might well become the decisive factor in the North African campaign now being waged from Tobruk to Alexandria. The British Fleet played an important part in driving the Italians out of Libya and in stopping the Germans-Italians in the Tobruk-Solom Sector. Recently it has been active in bombarding Bengasi and other Axis positions along the coast. Any sizable curtailment of this activity by submarines and aircraft based on Crete and Cyprus, would be a serious blow to the British when they undertake to expel the Germans-Italians from North Africa.

Aided by British sea and air power, the British force in Tobruk has been able to hold out against the enemy for five weeks, and in addition, have made raids on the Axis force operating in the vicinity of Solom. The scope of this defense extends as far west as Tripoli along the lines of Axis land communications. A recent report says that the bodies of 30,000 Italian soldiers have been washed ashore along the Tunisian coast which, if true, would support the claim of the British that they had recently destroyed a troop convoy.

The loss of so many troops constitutes a major defeat for the Axis and might well mean that the Axis will be unable to furnish their African force the necessary supplies and equipment to continue their offensive toward Alexandria.

Progress of Defense

Reports to the Office of Emergency Management from all parts of the country form a picture of gigantic expansion of defense preparations. After what seemed undue delays in getting into production, manufacturing and assembly plants are now humming with activity. Thousands of impediments have been swept away and thousands of short cuts taken toward speedier output. Satisfactory reports come from plants and extensions under construction, including ship-

yards, and these new facilities will soon add to the total production of defense equipment of all kinds.

Arrangements are being made for a great increase in the manufacture of aluminum. Despite rumors of shortage dangers a year or so hence, it is believed that increased production here and in Canada will take care of defense and commercial needs, but the use of aluminum for non-war purposes will be restricted, nevertheless. Imports of materials not produced here, such as tungsten, tin, manganese, rubber, jute, molybdenum, etc., are being made in heavier volume. Vessels carrying war material to Egypt will return via Dutch East India and Malaya to fetch cargoes of tin, rubber, teakwood.

In all measures calling for expenditures for defense and for aid to Britain, Congress is acting with dispatch. The largest item recently enacted is the two-ocean Navy appropriation, which became law 6 May. This carries \$3,415,521,750 in all, of which \$1,215,000,000 is for construction and machinery and \$442,000,000 for armor and armament to be expended during the next fiscal year. Additional appropriations amounting to \$5,500,000,000 are to follow in succeeding years up to 1946 inclusive. The bill also carries huge appropriations for public works, naval aviation and aeronautical facilities, ordnance, etc.

The Office of Production Management, while vexed by numerous strikes that delay production here and therefore short periods, is fairly well satisfied with the situation as a whole. When the immensity of the program is considered, the number of men made idle by strikes is at no time a dangerous handicap. More men are added to industrial defense production every week than are taken out by strikes, and no strike problem thus far has proved insoluble. Many disputes which threatened to hold up operations have been settled by the agents of the Office of Production Management without recourse to the conciliation or mediation agencies. American labor as a whole

is as enthusiastically at work as any other element of the population. Defense industry and selective service have absorbed so many men that labor shortages are reported in several sections, notably in the farm belt. White collar workers are also in demand throughout industry and in Washington, where planning and executive agencies are expanding with unprecedented speed.

In order to expedite production the Office of Production Management is encouraging the formation of industry committees to facilitate co-operation which might ordinarily run afoul of the anti-trust laws. The Attorney-General has indicated that when these committees are carefully formed and when they operate within the limits fixed by the O.P.M. they will not be prosecuted under the criminal sections of the law, nor under civil proceedings unless such committees persist in operating over the objections of the Department of Justice.

New Committee Chairman

Senator Robert R. Reynolds, N. C., has been named chairman of the Senate Committee on Military Affairs to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the late Morris Sheppard of Texas. The vacancy in the committee was filled by the appointment of Senator James E. Murray, Mont.

Senator Reynolds has been a member of the committee since 1932 and ranks Senator Elbert Thomas, Utah, by a matter of a few weeks. His present term in the Senate expires in 1945. He is a graduate of the University of North Carolina, has traveled extensively and is the author of two books on travel.

Senator Murray was born in Canada but lived most of his life in the United States. He was elected to the Senate in 1934 to fill out the unexpired term of the late Thomas J. Walsh and was reelected in 1936 for the term ending in 1943. He is a graduate of St. Jerome's College, Berlin, Canada, and New York University Law School.



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Congress is sharply attacking the sabotage of National Defense by the strikes persisting in contributing industries. Charges of treason, of activities by German and Communist leaders, and demands that the patriotic citizens be allowed to carry on their work of supplying the Armed forces, demonstrate the strong sentiment for legislation which will assure plant operation. This sentiment was responsible this week for the report by the House Rules Committee of a rule requiring consideration of the Vinson bill, which provides for a "cooling off" period before a strike may be called, and for the freezing of unions and open shops as of the time of the enactment of the measure. The rule has been referred to the House calendar, whence Mr. Vinson will call it up for consideration as soon as House business permits. For a time, Organized Labor regarded the legislation as merely a threat that if it pursued the policy of strikes, there would be action upon it. Its continued defiance determined the Rules Committee to bring the Vinson proposal to the attention of the House. The President, as yet, has not revealed his attitude in the matter, but the Rules Committee hardly would have favored a rule had it not been assured of his view that the time had come for action. He has been anxious that the "gains of labor shall not be lost," but the needs of National Defense are paramount, and unless Unions are more disposed to negotiation, it is said he will approve the Vinson bill should it be passed.

Another weapon that can be used against labor is the matter of taxation. Under the Treasury plan 80 per cent of the families, which have a gross income above \$12 billions, will escape taxation. Included therein are large groups of workers, who are demanding higher wages. Further, it is estimated that 50 per cent of our National Income is received by men and women earning \$2,000 or less per annum, and Secretary Morgenthau would exempt them from taxation. These facts, which have been brought out in the hearings conducted by the Ways and Means Committee, indicate a method by which many workers can be taxed. Under the Treasury plan, the heaviest increases over the years have been made in the middle and lower brackets, that is to say from \$3,000 to \$10,000, and here again the Treasury program lays a substantial increase. Possibly, conditions necessitate they bear a greater burden, but it is insisted in all fairness that the exemptions be lowered so that taxation shall be more equitably distributed.

In this connection, it will be recalled that the President, the Secretary of the Treasury and the House Ways and Means Committee, agreed that to assure the execution of the defense program, taxes would be levied to raise \$3.5 billions. Now it is said the Treasury will ask for \$4 billions, the difference to be raised in accordance with a Presidential suggestion, by the imposition of excess profits taxes at approximately the 80 per cent rate in force during the World War, which would produce \$1 billion. The Treasury had proposed to raise \$400 millions from this source.

Congress could reduce taxes by economies in National Defense items. Mr. Morgenthau told the Ways and Means Committee that such economies could be applied, and a billion dollars saved annually. Asked to itemize the savings, the Secretary blandly passed the buck back to Congress. As showing the disposition of that body, it enacted the high-loan farm program authorizing commodity loans to farmers mandatory at 85 per cent of the price which their products would bring in a free market, if price relationships like those of 1909-14 occurred. There are two objections to this plan, one that it is directly opposed to the plan for conservativisms in non-defense expenditures, and the other, that it will tax the poor man's table, which the President regards as repugnant. The President may veto this legislation, but even if he should do so few

believe economies will be practiced. Consequently, the middle groups of our people and business firms may expect to be required to bear the cost of National Defense, superimposed upon the continuing high costs of Government.

Legislative Calendar

ACTION ON BILLS

H. R. 4305—Authorizing the Marine Band to participate in the diamond anniversary convention of the Grand Army of the Republic, passed by House.

S. 1469—Authorizing the calling of Reserve aviation cadets to active duty for less than four years, reported by Senate Naval Committee.

H. R. 1801—Authorizing appointment of midshipmen to Naval Academy from honor schools, reported by Senate Naval Committee.

H. R. 4368—Authorizing a reduction in the course at the Naval Academy, reported by Senate Naval Committee.

H. R. 2107—Authorizing sale of equipment and services to the Commonwealth of the Philippines, reported by Senate Naval Committee.

H. R. 4105—Authorizing exchange of old Coast Guard equipment as part payment for new equipment, reported by Senate Naval Committee.

S. 346—Authorizing the use of certain discarded vessels as firing targets, reported by Senate Naval Committee.

S. 347—Authorizing the award of the Navy Expeditionary Medal to certain Army and civilian personnel, reported by Senate Naval Committee.

S. 992—To include captured aircraft as prizes of war, reported by Senate Naval Committee.

S. 1468—Authorizing establishment of a fuel depot on the Puget Sound, reported by Senate Naval Committee.

H. R. 4671—Authorizing a plant-protection force for naval shore establishments, reported by House Naval Committee.

H. J. Res. 183—Extending control over exports of strategic materials to include the Philippine Islands, reported by House Military Committee.

Praises Armored Force

Following a brief visit to Armored Force activities at Ft. Knox, Ky., 13 May, Secretary of War Stimson was high in his praise of the mechanized units this week. The new Armored Force School he termed "unlike anything I have seen anywhere else—an admirable school."

Mr. Stimson also visited the Force and Corps headquarters, the 1st Armored Division and the Replacement Training Center. Personnel at the latter was of a very high calibre, he said, stating that at the time of his visit only three of the 9,000 men at the center were in the guard-house.

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Merchant Marine

Operators of vessels in the intercoastal trades were asked by the Maritime Commission this week to contribute 40 ships to the pool of 2,000,000 tons of shipping which President Roosevelt on 30 April stated would be placed at the disposal of Great Britain.

The operators met in New York 13 May to confer on readjustment of schedules which will be made necessary by removal of the 40 ships from intercoastal runs. There are now 108 vessels on such runs.

The 40 vessels will be added to the 50 tankers already planned to be added to the pool, giving about 900,000 of the 2,000,000 tons the President has requested. Another 450,000 tons will be obtained when Congress approves legislation providing for taking over of 84 ships now tied up in American ports. This measure has passed the House, has been favorably reported by the Senate Commerce Committee and was expected to pass the Senate late this week.

Four new merchant vessels have been given directly to Britain, so the total tonnage so far in process of collection is about 1,400,000. Maritime Commission officials this week expressed hopes that the remaining 600,000 tons would be obtained by the end of the month.

Seamen Wanted

With the exception of the four ships already sent to Britain, none of the 2,000,000 tons of vessels is expected actually to be turned over to that country. Each new launching, therefore, will require additional maritime personnel, and under present plans, about 300 vessels will be added to the American merchant marine within the next year.

To man these vessels will require about 3,200 officers and 12,000 unlicensed personnel. In addition to present training programs maintained by the government, the U. S. Maritime Service is planning training programs to procure greater numbers of officers and men.

On 1 July schools will be opened at the New London and Alameda Training Stations at which six months' intensive instruction to prepare for licenses will be given to men who have been to sea at least three years.

To obtain additional unlicensed personnel, Coast Guard recruiting stations are enrolling boys between 18 and 22 years of age of good character, and good physical condition for the seven months training course at Maritime Service ships and stations now given to CCC enrollees, 1,700 of whom have completed or are undertaking instruction.

The Maritime Commission is still considering the reports submitted by committees at the recent conference of commission officials, ship operators and union heads, and has not announced its plans for procuring maritime personnel. Half of the additional officers and men needed are expected to be procured by the Maritime Service under its present and new programs.

Inaugurate Red Sea Run

The Maritime Commission has announced that since the entrance to the Red Sea has been removed from the combat area, service is to be inaugurated to the Red Sea area with ships of United States registry. Additional service will be inaugurated to China.

Celebrate Maritime Day

Congressional leaders, Maritime Commission officials, Coast Guard officers and other shipping figures will have luncheon aboard the Maritime Service Training Ship American Seaman at Washington Navy Yard, 23 May, in commemoration of National Maritime Day. Rear Adm. Emory S. Land, USN-Ret., Maritime Commission chairman, will speak.

On the West Coast, center of celebration will be a meeting of the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce, 22 May, at which Capt. Howard L. Vickery, USN, commission member, will be speaker.

Release Naval Reserves Promptly

Acting Secretary of the Navy Ralph Bard has announced that men enlisting in the Naval Reserve will be retained on active duty during the period of the emergency, but they will be released to inactive duty as soon after the emergency as their services can be spared, regardless of the number of years remaining in their enlistment.



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During the committee's debate Admiral Nimitz said the reason for keeping the allowance down to \$150 "is to save the taxpayer." He added: "I won't oppose any help this committee may want to extend to the enlisted men of the Navy. They are a fine body of men." Under further questioning he said V-7's get the same allowance as the other reserves.

A re-draft of section 8 of the bill was transmitted to the committee of the Navy Department and was sharply criticized at several points by Representatives Vinson, Maas and Sutphin. Especially singled out for attack were provisions requiring 30 percent disability for retirement and further requiring that such disability must be incurred in the line of duty while serving in time of war. Mr. Maas charged that only 10 percent disability is required of regular officers of the Navy. Admiral Nimitz said the Navy would not object to eliminating the proviso that the disability be incurred as a result of war service and extending the benefits to include service during an emergency.

Warrant Officers

An entire afternoon of the hearing was devoted to witnesses appearing in behalf of proposed amendments to give warrant officers and chief warrant officers temporarily promoted a chance to make their promotions permanent. Among those appearing were Chief Carpenter Thomas F. Coyne, Chief Pay Clerk Writner Hostetter, Chief Boatswain William H. Fiddler, Jr., Chief Gunner Fred Jordan, Chief Ma-

chinist Virden Wixom, and C. E. Lofgren, national secretary of the Fleet Reserve Association. The witnesses were assured by Chairman Vinson that their proposals would be given careful consideration by the committee.

The position of the Navy Department on the bill is set forth in the following letter addressed to the committee by Secretary of the Navy Knox:

Navy Department Letter

"Reference is made to the Navy Department's letter dated 6 January 1941, transmitting to the Speaker of the House of Representatives the draft of a proposed bill 'To provide for the appointment of certain persons as commissioned or warrant officers in the Naval Reserves and for other purposes.' Pursuant to the request contained in that letter the bill H. R. 2109 was introduced and considered by your committee.

"During the hearings on the bill H. R. 2109 the question was raised as to whether or not it would be more satisfactory to meet the needs of the Navy by providing for temporary appointments in the Regular Navy and Marine Corps instead of appointments in the Naval and Marine Corps Reserve, as provided by the bill. In view of the discussion of this subject and for other reasons, the problem was reconsidered by the Navy Department and the draft of a bill to accomplish the desired purposes by the temporary appointment method was submitted. This resulted in the introduction of the bill H. R. 4473.

"During the reconsideration of the problems involved it became apparent that while temporary appointments would relieve the situation in the lower grades they might not, without additional authority, take care of the needs of the Navy in the higher grades if conditions arising later on necessitate an expansion in those higher grades. The bill H. R. 4473, therefore, provides for temporary advancement to grades above lieutenant in the Navy and Captain in the Marine Corps.

"Since the introduction of H. R. 4473 the Navy Department has had an opportunity to make further study of the measure and certain changes therein appear desirable. These changes involve an amendment to section 7(a) in so far as this section refers to appointments made under section 2. This should read 'under sections 2 and 3.' A change in section 8 is also involved and a suggested substitute for this section is enclosed herewith. The re-draft of section 8 is intended to clarify this portion of the bill without changing the substance.

"The President has indicated that the temporary appointment method of solving the problems involved meets with his approval, and the subject matter of the bill H. R. 4473 has been cleared by the Bureau of the Budget. The bill itself was not submitted to the Bureau of the Budget because the proposed bill which became H. R. 4473 had already been cleared."

The re-draft of section 8 provides that the benefits shall apply only to individuals incurring physical disability in line of duty rated at not less than 30 percent permanent disability; that retirement for physical disability of officers or enlisted men shall be in the higher rank with retired pay at 75 percent of the active duty pay in that rank; that officers or men on the retired list incurring physical disability shall be advanced on the retired list to the higher rank with retired pay on that basis.

Admiral Nimitz' Statement

Following is the text of Admiral Nimitz' statement:

"Mr. Chairman, this bill, as indicated by its title, is to provide for the temporary appointment or advancement of certain personnel of the Navy and Marine Corps as commissioned or warrant officers. The appointments would be made from commissioned warrant and warrant officers, and enlisted men of the Regular Navy and Marine Corps, enlisted men on the retired list of the Navy and Marine Corps who are on active duty and from enlisted men of the Fleet Reserve who are on active duty. They would serve under their temporary appointments during war or national emergency and while so serving, would retain their regular status. In other words, they would have a dual capacity, and upon the termination of active service under their temporary appointments, they would revert to their regular status. Although the Bureau of the Budget has not yet approved this proposed legislation, it has the general approval of the President.

"Many warrant officers and enlisted men of the Regular Navy would be of greater value in time of war in a higher status than in their present enlisted or warrant capacity. This is made necessary because of the great expansion of the naval establishment, in both ships and aviation, such as that upon which we are now entering.

"In order to fill the needs of the expanding naval establishment, in the event of mobilization, more than a thousand additional warrant officers will be required. The necessity for this number will not be immediate but

will spread over the period of expansion and will parallel the building and conversion program.

"Warrant officers, as a class, are essentially technicians and specialists with long experience in handling the equipment used in the Navy. There are available in the Regular Navy a number of chief petty officers and petty officers, first class, who are well qualified for advancement to warrant grades, but who are prevented from such advancement by restrictions as to the numbers of warrant officers required in the Regular Navy. These chief petty officers and petty officers, first class, form an excellent source—in fact, practically the only source—of procurement for the additional warrant officers required. Also, it seems logical to utilize the men whom the Navy has trained, in the highest capacity for which their abilities qualify them.

"The principle also applies to the appointment of the same personnel to temporary commissioned ranks. By promoting petty officers and warrant officers, who are qualified for commissions, we expect to make the maximum use of the abilities of individuals who are already in service and who possess qualifications which fit them for posts of greater authority and responsibility in their specialties, and duties of wider scope than those normally assigned to men in their present rating.

"In addition to providing for temporary appointments to certain ranks and grades, the proposed bill also provides for temporary advancements or promotions. Like temporary appointments these promotions are effective only during war or national emergency. When the emergency is terminated, persons who have been temporarily promoted will revert to their permanent status, except under certain conditions where they have become physically disabled by reason of their service.

"For purposes of effective administration and efficient operational control, officers in any military organization must be vested with rank commensurate with the responsibilities involved. In general, rank is based upon qualifications necessary to shoulder essential responsibilities, and carries with it the experience acquired by a more or less definite period of time in active service.

"To provide all commissioned officers with sufficient service to gain requisite experience, and to insure a uniform system of advancement through the various grades, present laws require that a minimum period of service be spent in each grade, before an individual is eligible for promotion to the next higher grade.

"During a period of expansion, such as that upon which the Naval Establishment is now entering, it will be impracticable to provide the present legal period of service, before officers must be placed in positions of greater responsibility. A situation will exist in the near future, wherein officers will be required to fill billets normally filled by officers of higher rank. A study of the lists of commissioned line officers of the Navy and Marine Corps indicates there will be an insufficient number of officers who will have completed the legal service in grade, to fill normal vacancies in the next higher grade. Certain temporary expedients must be adopted in order to provide qualified officer personnel of suitable rank, in both Naval Aviation and the Naval Establishment as a whole.

"The situation can best be met by issuing temporary commissions, based upon the total number of officers required in each grade as determined from time to time by the Secretary of the Navy. This procedure will satisfy essential needs, will be most practicable of administration and will cause less disruption in the future when retrenchment is possible.

"As far as the immediate needs of the Service are concerned, I foresee no necessity at the present time for any temporary promotions in the so-called command grades, i.e., Commander, Captain, and Rear-Admiral. The personnel bill of 1938 provided for fitted promotions to all grades except Lieutenant and Rear-Admiral. Individuals so promoted are carried in excess in the various grades. The retention percentage of fitted officers has been 100% during the past year, and will, no doubt, continue to be as large, so long as the Emergency continues. Furthermore, the Congress has decreed that during the Emergency, no officer can be involuntarily retired who has been adjudged fitted for promotion. The effect has been to build up an excess, for the present, of officers in the higher grades. In time these officers will be absorbed as the expansion in the Naval Establishment progresses, and the time will come when some temporary promotions will be necessary in those grades. At the moment, no such temporary promotions are necessary nor desirable.

"Temporary promotions in the lower grades, although not of immediate urgency, will be necessary in the near future. Shortages will soon exist in the rank of Lieutenant, and, to a lesser degree, in the rank of Lieutenant Commander. Vacancies created by such temporary advancement to these grades would be filled by temporary appointments from warrant officers and enlisted men as provided for in the bill."

Analysis of Bill

After presenting his prepared statement to the committee, Admiral Nimitz gave the following detailed analysis of the bill, section by section:

Section 1.

"This section provides that the authority granted by this Act shall be exercised only in time of war or national emergency.

Section 2.

"(a) This sub-section defines the words 'temporarily appointed' as used in this Act in order to eliminate unnecessary repetition of the phrase 'temporarily appointed, promoted, or advanced in rank.'

"(b) This sub-section authorizes the temporary appointment of commissioned warrant and warrant officers of the regular Navy or Marine Corps, first class petty officers and above in the Navy and platoon or staff sergeants and above in the Marine Corps, also, first class petty officers and above and platoon or staff sergeants and above on the retired list and of the Fleet Reserve on active duty, to ranks or grades not above lieutenant in the regular Navy and captain in the Marine Corps. Such authorization does not exist at this time and it is considered that the above-mentioned personnel will provide an excellent source of officer material for use during the emergency. Applications from these personnel have been and continue to be received in the Navy Department. The recommendations thus far received indicate the availability of valuable officer material.

Section 3.

"This section authorizes the temporary promotion or advancement of officers on the active list of the regular Navy or Marine Corps including those initially appointed under the authority of Section 2 of this Act. While there exists no immediate need for temporary promotion in the Navy or Marine Corps except in grades below lieutenant commander, it is probable, in succeeding years, that a limited number of temporary promotions above that grade may be required in the expanding Naval establishment.

Section 4.

"By this section commissioned or warrant officers on the retired list of the Navy or Marine Corps, providing they are employed on active duty, may be temporarily promoted to higher ranks or grades on the retired list not above lieutenant commander in the Navy or major in the Marine Corps. Provision is made whereby those retired officers so promoted shall receive the pay and allowances of their rank or grade. This section also provides that, upon release from active duty, officers so temporarily promoted shall revert to their regular status on the retired list. Temporary promotion above lieutenant commander of retired officers on active duty can not be justified since these officers are performing duties entirely on shore.

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"Section 5.

"This section specifies that temporary appointments, promotions, and advancements shall be made only in such numbers as the Secretary of the Navy may determine that the needs of the service require and in such manner and under such regulations as the Secretary of the Navy may prescribe. The authorizations contained in this proposed Act are such as will best meet the needs of the service. To temporarily appoint or promote personnel in excess of service requirements cannot be justified. It is planned to use the Selection principle in effecting the temporary appointments and promotions herein provided for, where it can be applied.

"Section 6.

"This section provides that temporary appointments, promotions and advancements to ranks or grades below rear admiral in the Navy or general officer in the Marine Corps may be made by the President; promotions or advancements above those ranks or grades will be made by and with the advice and consent of the Senate. This parallels Army law and will enable the Department to proceed with appointments or promotions in the lower grades as the needs of the service require without delay.

"Section 7.

"(a) By the provisions of this section the permanent status on the active or retired list of personnel temporarily appointed or promoted will not be vacated while such personnel are holding such appointments or higher ranks or grades. Neither will any rights, benefits, privileges or gratuities to which an individual is entitled in his permanent status be lost or abridged in any respect. Thus enlisted personnel may still be advanced to higher permanent rank such as chief petty officer or warrant officer, warrant officers may be advanced to permanent rank of chief warrant officer, and time temporarily spent in higher ranks or grades by commissioned personnel will count towards permanent promotion on the active list of the Navy.

"This section further provides that personnel so appointed or promoted will be entitled only to the pay and allowances of the rank or grade in which temporarily serving with the saving clause that no person, temporarily appointed or promoted will suffer a reduction in pay or allowances below that to which he is entitled in his permanent status.

"(b) Since enlisted personnel, temporarily appointed to warrant or higher rank or grade, will revert to their permanent enlisted status upon the termination of the emergency, provision is made in this subsection to provide these enlisted personnel so appointed with a uniform gratuity of \$150.00. Officers of the Naval Reserve now receive, by law, the sum of \$150.00 for the purchase of required uniforms when they first report for active duty. It is considered that enlisted personnel, because of the added expense involved, should likewise be entitled to this gratuity.

"Section 9.

"During World War I all temporary appointments and promotions were counted in the computation by which officers were distributed in the various grades. Upon the termination of World War I, the Navy was confronted with a serious situation regarding the relation between the numbers of officers in the various grades and the numbers of peacetime billets to be filled.

"The needs of the regular service require only sufficient officers to man the normal peacetime establishment. As I have previously mentioned, our greatest need for officers occurs in the lowest grades.

"In order that there may be no repetition of the circumstances which confronted the Navy after the last war, this section, which provides that the temporary appointments made under this Act shall not count in any computation to determine the authorized number of officers in any grade, has been included.

"Section 10.

"This section authorizes the continuance of personnel in their temporary appointments and advanced grades during such period as the President may determine and not longer than six months after the termination of war or national emergency. Thus, the temporary appointment or advancement of personnel may be revoked at any time that their services in higher grade are not satisfactory or if the needs of the service require such revocation.

"It is also provided that, upon the termination of their temporary status, personnel revert to the rank or rating to which their permanent status entitles them. Thus, if an enlisted man has been promoted to chief petty officer or warrant officer during the time he held a temporary higher appointment, he would revert to that chief petty officer or warrant rank; if he has not been advanced in his permanent status, he will revert to the rating held at the time he was temporarily appointed to higher rank."

General Holcomb's Statement

Maj. Gen. Thomas Holcomb, commandant of the Marine Corps, made the fol-

lowing statement in support of the bill:

"The comments and remarks of the Chief of the Bureau of Navigation regarding the need for and the effect of the proposed bill apply in general to the Marine Corps also. Obviously this would necessarily be so, since we have the same system of promotion and, being a part of the Naval service, our activities, and consequently our personnel requirements, will expand proportionately with those of the Navy.

"As in the Navy, we can foresee no immediate need of making temporary advancements in the higher grades of lieutenant colonel, colonel and general officer. As the expansion progresses, some temporary increases in those grades will no doubt be required, but at present the proportions permanently allowed will be sufficient. The situation in the lower grades is different, and already the Corps is short some 114 captains due to an insufficient number of first lieutenants who have completed the legal requirement of service in grade for permanent promotion. That situation will shortly be corrected so far as our present needs are concerned, but only through the expedient of temporary advancements can our expanded officer requirements in 1942 be met.

"Morale, as you gentlemen know, is an essential factor in an efficient military organization, and it is important to morale that the commander of a unit have the rank which is appropriate to his duties and responsibilities. A first lieutenant could command a company, but I know from experience that the morale of the members of his company would suffer in comparison with that of other companies commanded by captains—the appropriate rank for such command. This may seem a small thing, but I can assure you that it has a very real effect.

"We have available a sufficient number of officers with between four and six years' service who, if temporarily advanced to the rank of captain, would adequately meet our prospective needs. Normally, an officer would not be eligible for that rank until after six years' service. During the last great emergency, the World War, the expansion was so rapid that it was necessary to commission a large number of captains who had but about one year of service, and many of them commanded combat units in France. Their record is well known, and there is no reason to fear that the efficiency of the Corps may now be in any way impaired by reason of advancement to more important and responsible positions of officers with insufficient training and experience.

"We have most excellent sources from which to obtain the necessary additional temporary lieutenants. Our constantly expanding Reserve will have ever increasing numbers of young men with college education who, with the practical training and experience they will receive, will be well qualified for the duties of company officers. We have in our enlisted and warrant personnel many whose qualifications and training well fit them for more important and responsible duties. There will be no lack of material upon which to draw, and the temporary appointments and promotions which this bill would authorize will not only enable the Corps to meet satisfactorily its expanded officer needs but will add materially to the morale of its personnel. The Army has had similar legislation for a number of years and has found it most effective in meeting its expanded needs at this time.

"At the present time, the President has approved a total of 248 commissioned warrant and warrant officers in the regular Marine Corps. With the expansion incident to the emergency, it is estimated that we will need during the fiscal year 1942 approximately 544 such officers. I intend to recommend that 288 of these be permanent, an increase of 40 over the present authorized number. From our Reserve and Retired lists, we expect to obtain the services of about 30, leaving approximately 228 warrant billets to be filled by temporary appointments. These would be filled from our noncommissioned officers and there will be no lack of qualified material. We have among our higher non-commissioned officers many who have the training, qualifications and experience requisite for the performance of the special duties which are assigned to warrant officers. They are military specialists, and we have on file already some 350 recommendations of noncommissioned officers who, in the opinion of their commanding officers, have demonstrated their qualifications for warrant rank in the regular Marine Corps. Some of these too would later probably be advanced temporarily to commissioned rank for more responsible assignments in which their special training and experience would make them particularly useful.

"I do not know of anything I can add to what Admiral Nimitz has said regarding the need for this proposed legislation. The necessity for the additional officers is urgent and the principle of temporary appointments and promotions embodied in the proposed bill appears to be the most practicable method of meeting the situation. I earnestly hope that the Committee will report the bill favorably at the earliest possible date."

Navy Enlisted Aviation Cadets

The Navy Department has requested legislation authorizing the training of enlisted men in the Naval and Marine Corps Reserve as aviation pilots. Under the terms of the proposed bill aviation pilots while on active duty would receive the pay of the third grade, or that of their rating, whichever is greater. Provision also would be made for setting up regulations under which pilots so qualified might be commissioned as ensigns in the Naval Reserve or second lieutenants in the Marine Corps Reserve.

The legislation is desired, Acting Secretary of the Navy Bard wrote the Speaker of the House, "to meet the greatly increased requirements incident to the present and prospective naval expansion." He also declared "the Navy Department foresees, in the near future, a shortage of personnel as aviation cadets" in his letter, which is as follows:

"There is transmitted herewith a draft of a proposed bill 'To provide for the pay of aviation pilots in the Naval and Marine Corps Reserve, and for other purposes.'

"The purpose of the proposed bill is to extend the field of procurement for pilots in the aeronautical organization of the Navy in order to meet the greatly increased requirements therefor incident to the present and prospective naval expansion.

"Section 1 of the bill provides that enlisted men of the naval and marine corps reserve who are designated as student aviation pilots shall sign an agreement to serve on active duty for two years following the completion of flight training, with the proviso that in time of peace they may serve on active duty for an additional period not exceeding two years. Section 2 provides for the rate of pay of those designated as aviation pilots commensurate with the type of duty expected to be performed by those so designated.

"Section 3 authorizes the commissioning of aviation pilots in the naval or marine corps reserve, if qualified under regulations prescribed by the Secretary of the Navy. Section 4 relates to the manner in which aviation pilots and student aviation pilots may be discharged or released from active duty.

"Section 5 authorizes furnishing necessary uniforms and equipment at Government expense, to student aviation pilots. Section 6 contains authority to furnish, at Government expense, life insurance in the amount of \$5,000 to aviation pilots and student aviation pilots and confers the right on such pilots to continue these policies at their own expense upon completion of active duty.

"The Navy Department foresees, in the near future, a shortage of personnel qualified for appointment as Aviation Cadets. It is not considered desirable to increase the procurement field for Aviation Cadets by broadening the age limits or lowering the mental and physical standards as now established.

"In order to compensate for the anticipated shortage, and to provide an opportunity for individuals who may have considerable flying ability, and yet do not possess two years of college education or the equivalent thereof, it is believed the best solution lies in training personnel of lower qualifications as enlisted pilots in the Naval Reserve.

"Applicants from the enlisted ranks of the Naval and Marine Corps Reserve, and from civil life, who are graduates of accredited high schools, trade schools, or aeronautical training schools, would be eligible for this training. Upon successful completion of training they would be designated as aviation pilots in the Reserve and retained on active duty for a period of two years or more following their designation. Such an arrangement would not only compensate for the temporary deficit in regular naval aviators, but will also serve to build up an inactive reserve, which is urgently needed to meet war time requirements.

"The proposed bill has been drafted to conform in general to recommendations of the Horne Board. This Board, of which Rear Adm. F. J. Horne, USN, was senior member, was convened to study matters concerning the regular and reserve aviation personnel of the Navy and Marine Corps.

"The Navy Department recommends enactment of the proposed legislation.

"The Navy Department has been advised by the Bureau of the Budget that there would be no objection to the submission of this recommendation."

Reduced Academy Course

Reduction in the course of instruction at the Naval Academy from four to three years is provided in the bill H. R. 4368 which was passed by the Senate on Thursday. Also passed Thursday was the bill S. 1469 authorizing the appointment of Navy aviation cadets for a period of less than four years.

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Coast Guard Graduation

Diplomas will be awarded next Monday, 19 May, to 22 graduates of the Coast Guard Academy at New London, Conn. With each diploma will go a degree of Bachelor of Science and a commission as ensign with which all Coast Guard commissioned officers begin their careers of command.

The diplomas will be presented by Capt. James Pine, Superintendent of the Academy. The commencement address will be delivered by Under Secretary of the Treasury Daniel W. Bell and Rear Adm. Russell R. Waesche, commandant of the Coast Guard, who will speak briefly. The exercises will mark the 65th anniversary of the founding of the Academy.

Members of the graduating class are: Helmer S. Pearson, Ala.; Robert P. Cromwell and James A. Palmer, Calif.; Louis T. O'Neill, Whitney M. Prall, Jr., and Victor A. G. Schmidt, Conn.; Kingsley N. Ayers, Fla.; James W. Kincaid, Kans.; Bernhard R. Henry, Joe L. Horne and Walter R. Lewis, Md.; Chris V. Brush, Kenneth R. Goodwin, Robert C. Gould, James M. McLaughlin and John Starr, Mass.; George W. Girdler, Mich.; Elmer A. Crook, N. J.; Chester A. Richmond, Jr., N. Y.; Robert S. McLendon, N. C.; Charles F. Schaffenstein, Jr., Wash. and Henry F. Rohrkemper, District of Columbia.

Overhead Establishments

The Army's current expansion program has required the establishment of numerous facilities to support the training of the tactical units, consisting of the War Department Overhead, Corps Area Service Commands, Replacement Training Centers, Induction Stations and Reception Centers. These are an essential part of the military team and play a leading part in the present great expansion of the Army, the War Department emphasized in a letter to the service this week.

"Duty with the field force" the Department stated, "is of evident importance, but the officers and men who are operating the Induction Stations, the Reception Centers and the Replacement Training Centers are rendering an equally important service. They must meet the numerous and peculiarly difficult problems inherent in the creation and organization of entirely new establishments where recruits will receive their first impression of the Army. The efficiency with which these establishments are conducted will to a large extent determine the public reaction to the Selective Service Act. In fact, unless these officers and men perform their missions with conspicuous efficiency, the efforts of the field force will be seriously hampered. The opportunities for service and for advancement in the Army are in no way limited by the task which any officer or man is currently performing, except as to the manner of that performance."

Status of Promotion

ARMY PROMOTION STATUS

Promotions and Vacancies on the Promotion List (Cumulative) since 9 May 1941

Last promotion to the grade of Col.—Joseph P. Vachon, Inf., No. 39. Vacancies—None.
Last nomination to the grade of Col.—Lloyd B. Bennett, Inf., No. 40.
Senior Lt. Col.—Abraham Garfinkel, P.E. No. 41.
Last promotion to the grade of Lt. Col.—James E. Dooley, Inf., No. 489.
Last promotion to the grade of Maj.—Arthur E. Ramsey, Inf., No. 3.
Last promotion to the grade of Capt.—Donald M. Schorr, Cav., No. 1. (Captain Schorr was placed on his original place on the promotion list, this being between No. 1449, Capt. Robert G. Crandall, FA, and No. 1450, Capt. Kai E. Rasmussen, CAC.)
Last promotion to the grade of 1st Lt.—E. Harrison Williams, CE, No. 2017.

Non-Promotion List

Following 1st Lts., Medical Corps, (Army Capt. Army of U. S.) promoted to Capt.—Medical Corps: Joseph T. Caples, Martin A. Compton, Adanto A. D'Amore, Clifford D. Dangerfield, Forrest E. Hull, Robert B. Lewis, Eugene M. Martin, Julius J. Seydler, Frank G. Stephens and Alfred P. Thom.

Warrant Officers

293 on eligible list to be Warrant Officers. Appointments have been made through Norman D. Anderson.

12 on eligible list to be band leaders, while Appointments have been made through Anthony L. Kulpner. None on eligible list to be band leaders, colored. Appointments have been made through Jess J. Stanbrough.

4 Warrant Officers have been discharged for the purpose of accepting active duty as Reserve Officers.